

## Nazis Preparing Stand in Italy

WITH THE 5TH ARMY IN ITALY (AP)—Indications multiplied all along the 5th Army front today that the Germans were preparing for a major battle in an effort to hold the high ground due north of Liferi, 25 miles inland and five miles north of the Volturno.

## Made Equal

WASHINGTON (AP)—Equality of the U.S. army air forces with ground troops has been established formally by order of Gen. George C. Marshall, chief of staff, in a step which appears to employ the principle of a separate American air arm without an actual divorce.

## Quinine Substitute

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—Discovery of a substitute for quinine, which will help replace supplies cut off by Japanese seizure of the Dutch East Indies, is revealed in a preliminary report to the convention of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, opening here tomorrow.

## Doctor Faces Trial

VANCOUVER (CP)—Dr. W. L. Graham, 47, of Vancouver, was committed for trial by Magistrate Mackenzie Matheson today on a charge of dangerous driving. He reserved his defence.

## Identify Lost Pilot

SEATTLE (AP)—The pilot of a U.S. navy plane which plunged into the water off Cordova Bay, near Victoria, B.C., last Saturday as hundreds of people watched from shore was identified by 13th Naval District headquarters today as Ensign Gordon E. Kruskopf, from a Puget Sound station. His father, E. B. Kruskopf, lives at St. Paul, Minn.

## Dr. Powers Killed

OTTAWA (CP)—Dr. Maurice Powers, 38, outstanding medical expert in charge of the R.C.M.P. crime detection laboratories at Regina, has been killed in an airplane crash near North Battleford, Sask., his brother, Dr. Arthur Powers of Hull, Que., was informed today.

## Nazi Cities Liability

LONDON (CP)—Half of Germany's leading cities now have been severely damaged by Allied bombing, an R.A.F. commentator said today, 17 of them so badly they are more of a liability than an asset to the war effort, tying up more men in repairs than in production.

## Brazil Picks Troops

NEW YORK (AP)—Selection of troops for the Brazilian expeditionary force began today at two medical centres in Rio de Janeiro, a Brazilian domestic broadcast recorded by the Federal Communications Commission said.

## Ald. Davies Asks Council Judge Him

Ald. W. H. Davies today called upon the City Council to judge his status, saying he had filed a letter for council consideration, including a notification of probable retirement from the city board.

"I feel," he said during the council session in committee today, "that I'm here as a traitor under my existing cloud. I've got nothing to hide. I want this thoroughly clarified."

"A poet, mayor and others have taken this sitting down. I don't feel prepared to," he said.

"I think you should give this a little more serious consideration," said Mayor Andrew McGavin.

Ald. Davies replied he had a code of honor that meant more to him and his family than any kudos past or future, or any material consideration.

"What's it about?" asked Ald. W. L. Morgan.

Ald. Davies said he was referring to the bawdy house trial in the report of which his name was mentioned.

Ald. P. E. George declared he did not think the council should be a court of inquiry on a fellow alderman on a matter that had nothing to do with failure in duty as a member of the council.

The mayor repeated his suggestion the alderman give the question more consideration and indicated he would help him if the alderman required assistance.

The letter filed for the City Council was in the hands of the mayor today. He declined to release it.

## Witness Tells Gruesome Story Of Discovery of Oakes Murder

By E. V. W. JONES

NASSAU, Bahamas (AP)—Chief Defence Counsel Godfrey Higgs twice drew shouted replies today with a relentless cross-examination of Harold G. Christie, the house guest who found the slugged and burned body of Sir Harry Oakes at his Nassau estate last July.

The next witness, Mrs. Newell Kelly, declared Sir Harry's son-in-law, Alfred de Marigny, who is on trial for murder, "impressed me as theatrical" when she saw him a few hours after the crime.

Christie lifted his voice when one of Higgs' questions suggested he had attempted to revive Oakes even though it was obvious the millionaire was dead. Again he arose to a pitch above his normal calm when Higgs pressed into the detail of which end of a towel he wet to wipe Oakes' face.

The packed courtroom was still as Higgs asked Christie if he stayed the whole night at the estate, as he testified why he rushed back to his room to see if there was any fire as soon as he discovered the body on Sir Harry's smouldering bed.

"It was the natural thing to do," Christie declared.

Mrs. Kelly, wife of the manager of Oakes' Nassau enterprises and the second person to see the body, told of a visit to her home, near the Oakes' estate, by De Marigny and J. H. Anderson, manager of the Bahamas General Trust Company.

Speaking from a chair in which she was permitted to sit while testifying because she broke her leg while attending the Oakes funeral in Maine, Mrs. Kelly told the jury:

"De Marigny said, 'This is terrible, terrible.'"

## De Marigny Sickened In Discussing Death

"He leaned against the porch and said: 'I think I am going to be sick.' Both men came into the cottage. De Marigny asked for water, and Anderson for a telephone."

"De Marigny impressed me as theatrical. To get away from him I followed Anderson to the bedroom, where he was telephoning. De Marigny came to the room and said again that he thought he was going to be sick. 'I told him to take hold of himself.'"

Christie had testified Tuesday that he had found the body when he went to summon Oakes to breakfast.

He said he saw a burned mosquito bar over Oakes' bed, rushed into the room and tried to revive the man he described as "one of my best friends."

"Had any blood come from Harry when you shook him?" Higgs asked.

"I did not notice," replied the witness.

"Did you use both hands to pour a glass of water for Harry?"

"I believe I used both."

"What happened when you put the water to his lips?"

"It appeared to go down his throat."

"Was there a bad rainstorm during the night?"

"There was."

"Why did you touch the body?"

"If you walk into a room and

find your best friend you do everything possible."

Once the dapper De Marigny, watching from the cage-like prisoners' dock, passed a note through the bars to Higgs.

"Look at this photograph," the attorney said during the questioning. "Does it look like a living man?"

"No, but the body still was warm when I first saw it."

"Did you know when you called to the servant that she was not there?"

"I didn't know."

"Show this photograph to the jury," Higgs told the court crier, and the latter took the picture of the death scene from Christie and passed it to the jurors.

"You didn't have much hope of saving Harry's life?" Higgs demanded.

Christie lifted his voice and almost shouted his reply: "Yes. I had hopes of saving my best friend's life."

The courtroom was packed, and spectators sat on the edges of their chairs after red-robed, white-wigged Chief Justice Sir Oscar Bedford Daly had read from his hand-writing record the end of Tuesday's proceedings and Higgs launched into his vigorous cross-examination. De Marigny wore a tie bought for him by his wife Nancy, eldest daughter of the late Sir Harry.

## Called Servants But Not Doctor

Higgs brought out that Christie had called the maid, a watchman and Mrs. Newell Kelly, wife of the manager of the Oakes Nassau properties, but had not summoned a doctor.

Four law students seated near the front of the prisoners' dock scribbled notes, frequently stopping to look at Higgs or Christie.

De Marigny stood with his foot on the bench in the cell, his arm over his knees, watching the proceedings intently. His expression was solemn.

Christie raised his voice again when Higgs asked which end of a towel he had to wipe Sir Harry's face.

"For heaven's sake, Mr. Higgs. I don't know," he replied.

Tuesday Christie, who had described Sir Harry as "one of my closest friends," replied in the negative to a suggestion that he might have left the estate during the night.

Higgs referred to a statement by Capt. Edward Sears of the Nassau police, revealed for the first time by Prosecutor A. F. Ardlerley Monday, that he had seen a man he took to be Christie in a station wagon away from Westbourne during the fatal night.

"I did not leave Westbourne anytime that night," Christie declared.

"What would you say if Capt. Sears said he saw you out that night?"

"I would say he was very seriously mistaken and should be more careful of his observations."

## Defence Makes Mystery Of Parked Automobile

Higgs made much of the fact that Christie said he had left his automobile at the Country Club, not far from Westbourne, during his stay with Sir Harry.

"I left it there to save gasoline," the witness explained.

"Yet you planned a pleasure trip in it the next day to show two newsmen a sheep ranch?"

"Yes."

"How could you save gasoline by parking the car at the club?"

"Well, if I had parked it at Westbourne I might have used it that night."

Higgs made a mystery of the automobile, once saying it was "hidden away beside the tennis court without anyone at Westbourne knowing it was there."

Higgs asked whether Sir Harry had bought the Bahamas General Trust Building, and Christie replied in the affirmative. He then inquired whether Christie knew of a plan to make De Marigny manager of the property.

"No," replied Christie with emphasis. "I knew of no such plan."

## Special Broadcasts

Feature broadcasts of Hollywood stars aiding the Victory Loan drive:

Today, at 5:30 p.m., over CBR, Rosalind Russell tells the story of "Fernando," the laughing donkey-mascot of a Texas boy in the R.C.A.F.

Thursday, at 6:15 p.m., over CBR, Walter Huston does the prologue to Bruce Hutchison's book, "Canada, the Unknown Country."

# Germans Facing Disaster As Russian Drive Mounts

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## Lone Bachelor Dead In Saanich Fire

Burned to death apparently while he was attempting to remove some valuable property from his three-room home at 55 Lurline Avenue, the charred body of Thomas Shaw, 60-year-old carpenter, was discovered early today by Saanich firemen.

Firemen were called out to the blaze at 12:55 this morning and on entering the workshop attached to the home found the body of the elderly man on the floor near the door. He was dead when they found him.

It is believed that the elderly man, a bachelor, who lived alone in the house, worked on defence projects near Victoria, but so far police have been unable to trace his last place of work.

Cause of the fire which apparently broke out in the workshop some time before firemen were called to the blaze was also a mystery.

Firemen extinguished the blaze before the house was demolished and saved a large part of the contents.

Fire Chief Joseph Law said he believed Shaw, returning to his home to find it on fire, entered the workshop to attempt to remove some of the tools. Overcome by the smoke and heat, he either collapsed or fell near the door.

The body was found resting against the closed door by firemen.

It is believed Shaw was born in England and was a member of several lodges in Victoria.

## Nazis Fall Back to New Defences As Flank in Italy Meets Threat

By NOLAN NORGAARD

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS (AP)—Threatened on their left flank by a swift Allied drive that cut forward five miles, the Germans fell back today from the Volturno valley to a fresh mountain line, it was announced, leaving behind them one of the war's worst scenes of destruction.

The Germans are retreating to establish a strong new mountain line anchored on the high Masicco Ridge and the town of Mondragone, six miles north of the Volturno River mouth, and extending 27 miles northeast to Venafro.

Official dispatches from 5th Army headquarters said the Nazis were burning houses, shooting civilians, destroying livestock, tearing up railroads, dynamiting roads and firing haystacks to provide smokecreens to cover their retreat.

The new enemy line is made up of a series of high, difficult ridges, intersected by deep valleys, through which pass the main highways from Naples to Rome.

Driving forward five miles north and northeast of Capua, the Allies eliminated the Germans' last hope of making a stand anywhere south of the Mondragone-Venafro line.

The advance carried the 5th

Army into the towns of Pignatari, six miles north of Capua, Roccaromana, five miles north-west of Liferi, and the high junction and town of Dragon, 2½ miles northwest of Alagnano.

These advances put them 11 miles north of the Volturno.

Attacking headily along the Adriatic coast in the face of increasing resistance by reinforced Nazi troops, the British 8th Army captured Petacciato, nine miles west of Termoli, Gen. Montgomery's infantry made a successful attack on the village, converted by the Germans into a heavily fortified zone, with the support of British tanks and artillery.

South of the Adriatic coast, other 8th Army units beat back a heavy enemy counterattack on Montecifone, occupied Monday.

Sharp clashes occurred in the area of Baranillo, 30 miles southwest of Montecifone, where the enemy massed large reinforcements to hold the mountain heights controlling the main lateral road west and northwest from Vinchiaturo.

(The German Paris radio reported Canadians are fighting in the Vinchiaturo area.)

"The Germans are offering much stronger resistance all along the 8th Army front, and obviously they brought up fresh troops."

The British lines were advanced as much as seven miles in their latest attacks.

## See Little Chance Of Mending Breach In Dnieper Front

By JOHN H. COLBURN

STOCKHOLM (AP)—The last 24 hours, in which the Red Army cracked the German eastern front defences in a major break, were the blackest of the war for Germany, Swedish correspondents reported today from Berlin.

The Berlin correspondent of the Aftonbladet said that if Soviet troops can follow up their smashing breakthrough the "Germans realize it can't mean anything but a catastrophe that would put Stalingrad in a shadow."

The Aftonbladet dispatch, which passed German censorship, said:

"It is obvious to every German that the Russians, not the Germans, have the initiative, and Red Army force, instead of growing weaker, grows stronger, piling up great troubles for the German

army. Even the most optimistic German hesitates now in viewing what is going to happen."

There was considerable speculation here that there was more behind the latest conference between Hitler and Nazi leaders than announced through official German agencies.

Berlin dispatches said Maj. Sommerfeldt, official representative of the German high command, announced the breach in the German lines to a press conference with the solemn words:

"I am sorry I have to announce a Russian breakthrough on the German front."

Sommerfeldt made no effort to hide the fact that the German situation on the eastern front was critical and did not insist the breach could be repaired.

## Escape Route Narrowed to 1 Line

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW (AP)—The whole German position inside the Dnieper River elbow was threatened today as harassed Nazi commanders hurled fresh divisions of men, tanks and artillery into the fight in an attempt to halt the Red Army's flanking drive to the west of the river.

The Russians' major breakthrough southeast of Kremenchug has swept into 130 settlements and the railway junction of Pyatikhatka to outflank Dneprodzerzhinsk, 40 miles to the east, and Dnepropetrovsk, 70 miles to the east.

Pyatikhatka is at the junction of the main railway between Znamekna and Dnepropetrovsk and the line running south to Krivoriog. Its capture leaves the Germans but one line, through Krivoriog, to evacuate the whole Dnieper Bend.

This most recent Soviet advance actually has carried the Red Army to a geographical position west of the Crimea. The German army southward of the Zaporozhe-Melitopol line is in a precarious position.

Hitler's commanders have not got themselves into such a serious tactical situation since they were cut off in Stalingrad.

Red Star said the Germans were counterattacking in the Dnieper elbow. A Pravda dispatch said a considerable number of German bombers had been shifted there from the deep rear and western Europe. All indications are the Nazis want to stand and fight.

A second sore spot for the Germans on the long Russian front today was north of Kiev, where in the face of furious counter-

attacks the Red Army is bearing down on Kiev, capturing Vyshgorod, six miles away.

Huge amounts of booty were abandoned by the Germans at Pyatikhatka, said the Soviet war bulletin.

Further Red Army progress was reporting north and south of the Ukrainian capital of Kiev. There Soviet troops "completed the annihilation of remnants" of motorized Nazi units striving to prevent encirclement of the great stronghold, the communists said.

Henry C. Cassidy, Associated Press war correspondent in Moscow, said advances from the Ukraine indicated the Germans had started huge demolitions in Kiev.

Forcible evacuation of Kiev's wartime population of 150,000 was also reported by Cassidy.

According to the Russians, he said, civilians are being driven west along the road to Zhitomir in two groups, destined for slave labor camps in Germany.

## Ben Bernie Dies

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP)—Ben Bernie, the old maestro of the stage, screen and radio, died after a long illness from a pulmonary affection with heart complications.

The 52-year-old band leader was stricken with pleurisy while playing an engagement in Chicago last February. After a short period he disregarded his physician's orders and came to the west coast to fulfill entertainment engagements in war plants. Soon after arriving here he suffered a relapse and for 11 weeks was confined to an oxygen tent.

Bernie was born Benjamin Anzelevitz in Bayonne, N.J., in a family of 12.

## The Hour of Freedom Arrives for Some Prisoners of the Fascists



For some Europeans, the day of liberation is at hand. For others, it is still many months away. Still dazed by the news that they are again free are these Italian political prisoners who were found on Favignana Island, north of Sicily, by Allied forces. Note wood and stone bunks in cells.



Marching along freedom's road are the Sicily-bound ex-prisoners of the Fascists on Favignana Island. Liberated by the Allies, they leave the walled Casa di Reclusione that was their prison.

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The task of the men and women who have undertaken to raise Victoria and the Island's quota of the 5th Victory Loan is a tough one. Most worthwhile tasks ARE tough—but we appeal to you not to make it any tougher. Give them the audience they ask for and are entitled to—and be ready to do business on the first call, if at all possible. To lick this tough task we need your fullest co-operation.



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Teddy Frenn's Orch.	Glenn Miller
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### Mussolini to Quit As Italian Puppet

BERNE (AP)—A Budapest dispatch to the Swiss newspaper *Gazette de Lausanne* said today that Mussolini had indicated his intention to resign as head of Italy's "Fascist Republican Government," and had asked the directors of the party in Berlin to name Marshal Rodolfo Graziani as his successor.

The dispatch said the former Duce never had left Germany, although he was reported to have returned to Rome from Germany after his "liberation" by Nazi paratroopers. Italians in Budapest, the dispatch added, said that Mussolini had never actively participated in the new government, which was "against his heart."

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## Coast Battalion Meets Stiff Fight In Italian Battle

By LOUIS V. HUNTER  
WITH THE 5TH ARMY IN ITALY (Delayed) (CP)—German resistance stiffened today (Monday) along the Canadian section of the Italian front and several counterthrusts by enemy forces fighting a slow, rearward action were successfully held by our troops.

There has been bitter fighting during the intense patrolling by both sides in the thickly wooded, hilly country beyond the last two objectives taken by the Canadian troops. Heavy artillery duels for the past two days have continued spasmodically and the enemy has reinforced his troops facing the Canadians, apparently in an attempt to slow up the satisfactory progress our troops have been making the last few weeks.

**CLEAR AWAY SNIPERS**  
Canadians in the advance patrols encountered many snipers, but they were picked off one by one. A few of them infiltrated behind the Canadian line and in one case succeeded in cutting a telephone line between a forward command and headquarters.

The enemy positions have been pounded consistently from the air throughout today.

Canadian troops Sunday penetrated three towns. A company of a Pacific coast battalion went into one town, but withdrew later when the Germans shelled the spot heavily. Heavy fighting now is going on in that area and the infantry is being well supported in these attacks.

Men from an eastern Ontario battalion engaging the enemy in the neighborhood of the other two penetrated towns have taken part in a number of skirmishes during the last 48 hours.

**NAZIS USE MORTARS**  
A section from one company, detailed to occupy another town, ran into heavy mortar fire from strong enemy positions across the river and engaged enemy patrols in the town. The Canadians withdrew to prepare for a new assault.

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## \$6,000,000 for Victory



Premier John Hart gets the Fifth Victory Loan drive off to a good start with the B.C. government's contribution \$4,000,000, and \$2,000,000 from the Workmen's Compensation Fund. He is shown signing the application forms Tuesday in his office in the Parliament Buildings.

## Dominions, Britain Agree On Aviation Plans After War

LONDON (CP)—Lord Beaverbrook announced today that Britain has an "extensive and complete" plan for postwar civil aviation ready to present to an international conference.

The newspaper peer, Lord Privy Seal in the Churchill government, told the House of Lords the plan was adopted at the recent empire air conference in London and awaited only approval of the Dominion governments.

Lord Beaverbrook, who has been entrusted by Prime Minister Churchill with direction of the British air transport policy, forecast forces of 2,000 aircraft engaged in civil aviation in Britain after the war.

He said, however, that this estimate—which would be four times the number of commercial planes used in the United States before the war—"will not afford a great basis for production of aircraft after the war."

**UNANIMOUS DECISIONS**  
Speaking in response to a request from Lord Londonderry, a former air secretary, for a statement on British air policy, Lord Beaverbrook said the empire meeting, which was held in secret, "reached unanimous agreement on every issue."

Submission of the empire plan to an international conference, he said, "must wait upon the United States of America, and particularly upon Russia."

The empire conference had decided, he said, that "an international air transport authority should be intimately associated with and responsible to any United Nations security organization which might be established."

Canada was represented at the empire air conference by Hon. C. D. Howe, Munitions Minister; Rt. Hon. Vincent Massey, High Commissioner; H. J. Symington, head of Trans-Canada Air Lines, and J. R. Baldwin, assistant secretary in the Privy Council office at Ottawa.

**13 Fliers Killed In 2 Yukon Crashes**  
EDMONTON (CP)—Eleven officers and men were killed in the crash of a heavy bomber Saturday in the Yukon Territory, and two more died when a rescue plane was lost Sunday near the scene of the first crash, it was

announced here today by U.S. army air force officials.

Names of the dead were withheld pending notification of relatives.

The bomber crashed in a lake difficult to reach and the pilot and crew chief of a single-engine plane engaged in rescue efforts Sunday morning were killed near the same spot.

Details and causes of the accidents were under investigation, army officials said.

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## Luman Beckett Goes Back to Jail

WETHERSFIELD, Conn. (AP)—A tip by a Winnipeg woman that he had violated his parole has resulted in the return to state's prison here of Luman C. Beckett, 42, after 22 years behind bars for the murder of a taxi driver in Hartford, Conn.

Warden Ralph H. Walker said that Beckett, who has contributed to nationally known magazines, was returned to the prison on information furnished by Ruby Lawrence, who became interested in the prisoner when she read one of his stories.

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## Yugoslav Patriots Crush Nazi Effort To Land Troops

LONDON (CP)—Yugoslav partisan forces smashed a German seaborne attempt to land troops on the Dalmatian coast and two nearby islands in the Adriatic, a communique issued by Gen. Drag Tito's headquarters and broadcast by the free Yugoslav radio said today.

The landing attempts, the bulletin declared, were directed against the Peljesac Peninsula, which juts northwestward into the Adriatic between Split and Dubrovnik, and against the islands of Hvar and Mljet, which guard the approaches to those ports.

A communique issued Sunday by Allied headquarters in North Africa told of a sortie by small British craft between Mljet and Dubrovnik and said they had withdrawn undamaged under fire from German shore batteries.

Fighting on widely-scattered mainland fronts, today's Yugoslav bulletin said, was high-spotted by the capture of two towns by partisan forces—Bilece, 15 miles northeast of Dubrovnik in Herzegovina, and Nova Varos, northeast of Plevlje in Bosnia.

**NAZIS RETAKE TOWN**

Five days ago partisan troops launched a series of attacks on the town of Travnik, 15 miles west of Zenica. Backed up by artillery support, they stormed all the important fortifications around the town, but the Germans came back the next day with a strong motorized counter-attack and the partisans were forced to retire.

Other patriot columns operating between Travnik and Sarajevo were said to have clashed with German raiders and supply detachments during the week-end. Fighting was reported to be continuing today.

Germans attacked a Croat column between Split and Trogir, but were hurled back, the communique declared.

Further up the Dalmatian coast Nazi motorized units, reinforced by a division of 100 tanks, rushed from Italy by Marshal Rommel, cracked partisan defences around the towns of Suak and Ogulin and succeeded in capturing them.

**Further 16% Cut In U.S. Newsprint**

WASHINGTON (AP)—A new cut of 16 per cent in newspaper consumption in November—a slash as great as all three previous cuts this year combined—was proposed to United States newspaper publishers today by H. M. Bitner, chief of the printing and publishing division of the War Production Board.

Bitner, the board announced, has advised the newspaper industry advisory committee to take the 16 per cent curtailment instead of the alternative—dipping into reserves which would lower publishers' newspaper inventories by 10 days' supply. This would cut publishers' inventories from 40 to 30 days in the northeast and central states and from 65 to 55 days in the south and west.

The industry committee, which met informally this morning to discuss the problem posed by Bitner, reconvened in formal session this afternoon and was expected to emerge with a recommendation before the end of the day.

The possibility remained that its decision would be to temper the curtailment of taking a lesser slash both in permitted use and in inventories—possibly an approximate 10 per cent curtailment of use and a five-day drop in inventory.

**Warn of Disease**  
LONDON (CP)—The Archbishops of Canterbury and York, asserting a wartime increase in venereal disease had "become a grave danger to the health of the nation," issued a statement today urging the employment of more policemen to "help in checking promiscuity." They also urged the establishment of many more free clinics in Britain.

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## Operation to Remove Staple From Lung

VANCOUVER (CP)—Eight-year-old Melvin Gilliland will leave here Monday night bound for the Temple University clinic at Philadelphia, where it is hoped surgeons can remove an iron staple that has been lodged in his lung for more than a year.

Melvin will be accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Norman Gilliland, on a trip made possible through a fund that began after publication of his plight in a newspaper and realized about \$1,400 in little more than a week.

The lad swallowed the staple while playing in Star City, Sask., where his parents lived before coming to Vancouver.

Three attempts without surgery were unsuccessful in removing the staple. His parents did not have the money to take Melvin to the Philadelphia hospital, where such operations were reported to have been successful.

**No Prewar Lighting On Vancouver Streets**  
VANCOUVER (CP)—A B.C. Electric Railway Company official says there is no chance of Vancouver's street lighting being increased to prewar brilliance until after the war.

The power controller would not permit larger candlepower bulbs to be used, the official said.

At present the city electric department is removing the black band from the globes and fitting shield reflectors over the bulbs. It is estimated this will increase illumination probably to 15 per cent above that allowed under previous dimout regulations.

**Disease Disgrace**

WASHINGTON (AP)—An army doctor bluntly termed the United States venereal disease record a "disgrace" today and urged federal and state laws for

compulsory reporting and control of syphilis cases.

**Joe, Lost Skunk, Still Wandering**

VANCOUVER (CP)—Joe, the wandering skunk, is still at large and Vancouver police haven't got even a "scent" to go on. Daphne Hall, Joe's mistress, claims her pet isn't wild—but then again you couldn't exactly call him tame.

There's strong evidence Joe was stolen as there aren't any signs of his having dug underneath his kennel which would indicate an "escape."

He has been missing since Sunday, and Miss Hall would like to have him back.

"If you come across him, you needn't worry about my Joe," she said. "He has been thoroughly deodorized."

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**15-Year-Old Veteran  
Back in School**  
FORT MADISON, Ia. (AP)—A  
veteran of the war is back in  
high school here.  
He is 15-year-old Jude Carlin,  
son of Mrs. Rose Carlin, who en-  
listed in the U.S. navy last Oc-  
tober. He was 14 then, but told  
officers he was older.  
Carlin was assigned to a de-  
stroyer in the Atlantic. When a  
submarine torpedoed the de-  
stroyer, all aboard abandoned the  
ship except five men who re-  
mained to man two guns. Carlin  
was one of the five and was cited  
for bravery.  
After the destroyer sank and  
Carlin was rescued, he was as-  
signed to the Pacific fleet. In  
connection with the new assign-  
ment, a check was made of his  
civilian record, his correct age  
was uncovered and he was given  
an honorable discharge.  
**G. H. Harris Dies**  
MONTREAL (CP)—Geo. H.  
Harris, 61, former president of  
Rotary Club of Montreal and pub-  
lic relations officer for Sun Life  
Assurance Company, died sud-  
denly at Baltimore, Md.  
Canada sends the U.S. about  
64,000 tons of bacon in normal  
years.

## Grain Being Rushed To India to Check Starvation Deaths

LONDON (CP)—A grim picture  
of death, disease and starvation  
which has struck down thousands  
of natives in Bengal has reached  
London along with word that  
grain and cereal are being rushed  
to that India province to stem a  
mounting death toll.  
Dispatches to a London news-  
paper described Calcutta as the  
"city of slow death," a place  
where parents and children share  
food with beasts in the gutters,  
where famished fathers snatch  
scraps from their youngsters' grasp  
and where babies, if not  
still born, survive only a few  
minutes.

That was the situation when  
Lord Woolton, Minister of Food,  
announced Britain would dig into  
her grain supplies to help relieve  
the famine. Shipments from Aus-  
tralia and the Persian Gulf were  
expected to arrive this week, and  
it was understood that large sup-  
plies would also be sent from the  
west coast of the United States.

### DRIVE WIVES AWAY

A report of 500 families in  
Bengal said:  
"Husbands have driven away  
their wives for lack of food and  
wives have deserted ailing hus-  
bands. Children have forsaken  
aged parents and parents have  
left their homes, abandoned in  
disrepair. Brothers are turning  
deaf ears to entreaties of hungry  
sisters and widowed sisters main-  
tained for years by their brothers  
have departed in time of need."  
Stanley Dilla, London Daily  
Herald correspondent, painted  
this stark picture in a series of  
articles.

"Immediately you pass out of  
the Howrah station you begin to  
pick your way through hundreds  
of starving homeless."

### BODIES BURNED

"Emaciated men and women  
and children by the thousands  
roam the streets and lanes in  
search of food. When they can  
struggle no farther they drop on  
the pavements or in the gutters.  
Many never rise again. Special  
squad of overworked police  
come along with lorries and re-  
move the bodies to congested  
burial grounds and burning  
ghats."

A New Delhi dispatch said mor-  
tality in famine-stricken Calcutta  
is rising despite government and  
private efforts to alleviate the  
situation.  
Statistics compiled by a Cal-  
cutta corporation health officer  
showed 2,154 deaths last week,  
compared with 1,927 the pre-  
ceding week.

For the last five years the aver-  
age weekly deaths totaled only  
573.  
Famine is taking a toll in other  
sections of India also.

Menhaden oil production was 50  
per cent greater in the second  
quarter of 1943 than in the same  
period in 1942. This fish oil is a  
valuable vitamin food for poultry  
and is used also in many indus-  
trial processes.

## Today's WAR NEWS Analysis

By DE WITT MACKENZIE  
Associated Press War Analyst

There's only one point remain-  
ing to be settled in connection  
with the burning "second front"  
issue which the Russians have  
made the paramount question be-  
fore the Tripartite conference in  
Moscow—and that's when the  
cross-Channel invasion of France  
shall take place.

Talk in the camp of the Anglo-  
American Allies in the past few  
days has been emphasizing next  
spring as the favorable time for  
invasion. Field Marshal Smuts of  
South Africa Tuesday supported  
this theme in London by predict-  
ing the grand assault will come  
next year.

### CONTINGENT ARRIVES

Simultaneously, a little dispatch  
from Britain announces the re-  
cent arrival of a large contingent  
of U.S. troops—obviously inva-  
sion forces.

So preparations proceed apace  
but that doesn't mean the in-  
vasion in the near future, al-  
though there's still time for the  
operation, this year.

The Allies certainly have jus-  
tification for proceeding with  
circumspection in this dangerous  
venture. Failure would be cat-  
astrophic.

Assembly of the colossal inva-  
sion forces with supplies and  
equipment is only the beginning  
of the problems. We had an illus-  
tration of that in miniature in  
the invasion of Dieppe last year,  
when close to half a force of  
6,000 or more men—five-sixths

of whom were Canadians—were  
killed, wounded or captured.

One threat, of course, lies in  
the fact that the great invasion  
fleet of barges and warships will  
be under intense fire of German  
land batteries, as well as all the  
bombers Hitler can muster.

Another menace is mines—  
both sea and land. The employ-  
ment of this defence against am-  
phibious attacks has been devel-  
oped to a fine point by the Ger-  
mans.

### CHANNEL MINED

The English Channel along the  
French shore is likely to be filled  
with mines. Mine sweepers will  
precede the fleet, but many  
barges laden with troops, and  
many warships will be destroyed.  
The land mines are an even  
greater menace, for the Germans  
are following the highly effective  
scheme of wholesale mining of  
every beach which might be used  
as a bridgehead.

The Hitlerites have every strat-  
egical point along the whole  
Channel invasion coast heavily for-  
tified. Dieppe and other landings  
have demonstrated that these de-  
fences provide for intensive fire  
of all calibres. Barbed wire lines  
the shores, and tank barriers are  
terribly formidable.

Whatever way you look at it,  
the invasion is going to be a  
costly thing unless Hitler is ren-  
dered virtually impotent in ad-  
vance. What the Allies have to  
figure out in answering Moscow  
is whether the present status of  
the war warrants taking such a  
chance right now.

## Letters to the Editor

### FARM STOCK DWINDLING

I see by last night's paper an-  
other sale of farm stock. This  
has been going on for some time  
now. Farms deserted, farmers  
going out of business, stock being  
sold—one by one they all seem to  
be giving up.

Anyone with any serious  
thought on the situation must  
realize where all this is tending.  
In a short time the supply  
of milk will become scarcer and  
scarcer, until if something is not  
done about it, the milk situation  
will become so acute that it will  
have to be rectified.

We know very well that situa-  
tions like this arise; but it is a  
fact that they are not attended to  
until they become a real problem.

W. R. DUNN.  
319 Burnside Road.

### GET ON LIST AND VOTE

As municipal government is  
the basis of our democratic  
system, it is essential that all  
responsible persons should vote  
in the municipal elections.

British subjects of 21 years  
who have resided in this munici-  
pality since Jan. 1, 1943, can  
vote in the forthcoming election,  
provided they are on the Voters'  
List. Since the Voters' List  
closes at 5 p.m., Nov. 1, it be-  
hooves every citizen to make  
sure his or her name is included  
on the list.

Voters are divided into three  
categories:

- (a) Property holders.
- (b) License holders. (Business  
or professional.)
- (c) Persons who pay the poll  
tax (\$5) and the road tax (\$2).

The name of a property owner  
goes on the list automatically.  
In all other cases the voter must  
register with the City Clerk. The  
husband or wife of a property  
owner is not on the list unless  
the property is registered in  
both names. A license holder  
must have paid the license for  
the current six-month period be-  
fore he can register to vote.

It is customary for employed  
men and women to have their  
poll tax and road tax deducted  
from their wages and paid by  
their employer to the munici-  
pality, therefore, these men and  
women have no extra taxes to  
pay at the time of registration.  
Persons not employed and who  
do not own property may regis-

ter after paying the following  
taxes:

- Men—Poll and Road Tax.
- Women—Road Tax only. (One  
case where the woman has the  
advantage.)

Persons over 60 years are ex-  
empt from the Road Tax.

The fact that a person has re-  
sided in a previous year does  
not necessarily mean that his  
name is retained on the list.  
Once they have registered, per-  
sons who have continued to pay  
poll and road taxes regularly are  
retained on the list, but any ex-  
emptions (for military service,  
etc.) or any break in the contin-  
uity of tax payments calls for  
re-registration.

Similar regulations regarding  
the Voters' List apply in the ad-  
joining municipalities.

The time is short. All eligible  
voters who have not already re-  
gistered should do so without de-  
lay. Then, when election day  
comes, they should use their  
vote.

MISS ELLEN HART, Pres.  
University Women's Club.  
1513 Laurel Lane.

### ANOTHER VIEW

I have read several letters re-  
garding Bible reading in the  
schools. Most people think all  
we have to do is to place the  
Bible in the school and all will  
be well. In my opinion this is a  
great mistake. I believe the  
Bible to be the inspired word  
of God. And the only person  
who can explain it properly is  
the true Christian with the aid  
of the Holy Spirit.

Place this book in the hands  
of those who do not believe in  
its doctrines and they will do  
more harm than good. I have  
proof of scholars who have been  
ridiculed because they said they  
believed the Bible. Then again  
there are several religious cults  
besides the Protestant religion,  
which have their own method of  
explaining the Bible.

Some of the religions have  
their own schools and will not  
agree to their children being  
taught the Bible in our way.  
and will immediately suggest  
separate schools. This is some-  
thing which we in British Co-  
lumbia have avoided so far. So  
be careful you do not start some-  
thing for which you will be  
sorry in the future.

F. T. ROGERS.  
185 Sims Ave.

## Canadian Premiere Of 'Corvette K225'

OTTAWA (CP)—The Navy  
League of Canada Tuesday night  
presented the world premiere of  
the motion picture, "Corvette  
K225," before a distinguished  
audience, which included the Gov-  
ernor-General and Princess Alice,  
Prime Minister King, Princess  
Juliana of the Netherlands, sev-  
eral members of the cabinet, and  
ranking officers of the navy, the  
army and the air force.

David N. Gibson, president of  
the league, presented the league's  
medal of distinction at the close  
of the showing to Richard Ros-  
son, director, and Randolph Scott,  
who starred as commander of the  
corvette.

It was the first occasion on  
which such an award has been  
made to residents of the United  
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## Half of Canada Approves Family Allowance Idea

TORONTO—One of the most  
heatedly debated issues in the  
past few weeks has centered  
around the reported proposal to  
establish family allowances of \$9  
a month for each child under 14,  
irrespective of family income,  
and widely conflicting claims as  
to the feeling of the general  
public have been made.

A scientific analysis of public  
opinion, carried out by the  
Gallup Poll, shows that the Cana-  
dian public is fairly evenly di-  
vided on the issue. "In other  
words, there appears to be no  
majority feeling either for such  
a plan or against it."

Public opinion on this issue  
was tested by two questions, each  
one of which was put to an  
accurate cross-section of the  
Canadian public. To one cross-  
section, the issue was put this  
way:

"It has been suggested that the  
government should pay a family  
allowance of \$9 per child every  
month to families in the lower  
income group instead of raising  
wages. Do you think this is a  
good idea or a bad idea?"

(Although, under the proposal  
as reported, the \$9 allowance  
would be payable to all income  
groups, net effect on the middle  
and upper income groups would  
be virtually nullified by re-  
moval of exemptions for children  
on income tax, and the question  
was phrased in this way to avoid  
unwieldy complications in word-  
ing.)

Here is the result of this sur-  
vey, in percentages: Good idea,  
49 per cent; poor idea, 42 per  
cent; undecided, 9 per cent.

QUESTION OF COST  
Some might argue that the  
number of those who thought the  
scheme a "good idea" would be  
much less if the general public  
realized the cost of such a scheme.  
To find whether this was so or  
not, Gallup Poll put the issue to  
another "miniature" of the popu-  
lation as follows:

"It has been suggested that the  
government should pay a family  
allowance of \$9 per child every  
month to families in the lower  
income group, instead of raising  
wages. Cost of such a plan is  
estimated at \$180,000,000 a year.  
Do you think this would be a  
good idea or a bad idea?"

Addition of the estimated cost  
of the plan does not make as  
great a difference in the attitude

## Lieut. F. D. Roosevelt Injured On Warship

WASHINGTON (AP)—Lieut.  
Franklin D. Roosevelt Jr., execu-  
tive officer on a U.S. warship,  
suffered a slight hand wound in  
action in the Mediterranean re-  
cently, Senator Richard Russell  
(Dem.-Ga.) told reporters. Rus-  
sell is chairman of the five-man  
special committee which recently  
inspected world battlefronts.

Young Roosevelt, whose ship  
was severely damaged, helped a  
sailor below decks when the lat-  
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## New For The Plans

**LAST NIGHT'S MEETING IN THE CITY**  
Council Chamber should be regarded as a happy augury for the future collaboration and co-operation of the four municipal political entities which comprise the Greater Victoria area. While the object of the gathering was the occasion of an address on post-war rehabilitation by Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, the spirit which obviously prevailed must have underscored the urgent desirability of regional planning for the future development of this part of Vancouver Island. Every intelligent citizen surely realizes that the problems with which this and other communities will be confronted when peace is restored to the world must be anticipated aggressively. The representatives of the governing bodies of this area who have now met in a mutually progressive frame of mind need no reminding of the economic chaos which followed in the wake of the armistice a quarter of a century ago. This should be the guiding thought as the four municipalities take the necessary steps to prevent a repetition of this condition hereabouts.

Mr. Perry quite properly advised the meeting that "collective preparation" is fundamentally necessary for "collective prosperity." The mere acceptance of the truth of this unassailable dictum, however, is only part of the battle which must be fought and won if the Greater Victoria metropolitan area is to profit by the expansion movements destined to take place on the Pacific slope. It requires no fulsome language to paint a verbal picture of the possibilities for development which abound on Vancouver Island. Apart from the heritage which a bounteous Nature has bestowed on us with a lavish hand, it can be accepted as a fact that when the world once again has recaptured its sanity and settles down to peaceful pursuits, thousands of people from other parts of Canada and many parts of the world will look to this part of British Columbia to find homes and suitable occupation to sustain them. Are we going to be ready for them?

## In The Thieves' Kitchen

**TO OVER-EMPHASIZE THE SIGNIFICANCE** of yesterday's meeting of Nazi big-wigs, military and political, would be unwise. No doubt the Fuehrer is watching for the least sign of a split between the forces controlled by Gestapo chief Heinrich Himmler—who, after all, is Hitler's bodyguard in more ways than one—and the remnants of the old Prussian military caste. But the announcement that the meeting was convened by Field Marshal Wilhelm Keitel looks a trifle far-fetched. Since when has egomaniac Adolf delegated such authority to one with whom he is reputed to have disagreed on numerous occasions? If the conference was intended as a counter-irritant to the tripartite deliberations in Moscow, however, it borders on the humorous.

Hitler and his military advisers would give many divisions to know what the plans of the United Nations are for the western invasion of "Festung Europa." The warning which Field Marshal Smuts issued in London yesterday will have added to their mental discomfort. They may take it at its face value—that action across the Channel should not be expected immediately—but more likely than not they will be inclined to read into it a new departure in the war of nerves with which they are now becoming familiar. In any event, the outside world is not especially interested in the details of yesterday's discussion, whether it was confined to "speeches of an ideological or inner political nature" or the pattern of the wallpaper in Hitler's kitchen at Berchtesgaden. But what was said of the disaster looming on the Russian front? In the answer to that question may be the key to the real meaning of the confab.

## Not Impressed Yet

**SEVERAL BRITISH NEWSPAPERS** ARE still wondering whether Turkey and Elre were impressed by Portugal's action in turning the Azores over to Britain for her use for the duration of the war. The opening of the Dardanelles to Allied warships would soon change the whole complexion of the fighting on the southern end of the Russo-German front, while if British, Canadian and American craft could operate from harbors in the south of Erin's Isle, the submarine menace in the north Atlantic could be reduced to still less dangerous proportions. But neither the men of Ankara nor the mystic politico in Dublin have usefully reacted to Lisbon's timely and extremely important decision.

Nothing seems likely to change the policy of Prime Minister de Valera; he is evidently quite content to leave matters as they are, regardless of the somewhat ludicrous role he may be compelled to play if he turns up at the peace table with demands for special consideration. Turkey's position, on the other hand, is somewhat different; she has received a huge quantity of military equipment under lend-lease arrangements. But she also has maintained a large active army to discourage further Nazi aggression. Her

military preparedness has been of considerable value to the United Nations; it was particularly useful when Hitler was on the rampage before he attacked Russia and before Japan struck at Pearl Harbor. Perhaps the men of Ankara will change their minds as a result of what transpires at the present conference at Moscow. Mr. Molotov may emphasize the obvious—that Turkey's lifting of the ban on the passage of Allied warships through the Dardanelles might shorten the war appreciably.

It would appear, moreover, that Hitler and Company have arrived at a new low in diplomatic technique as far as strategically-placed Turkey is concerned. The latest suggestion put up to the Ankara government by Nazi ambassador Franz von Papen is that Turkish troops become guardians of the Dodecanese islands and so prevent their occupancy by forces of the United Nations. It is nothing to the German hierarchy, of course, that these Italian possessions became the temporary property of the Allies under the provisions of the armistice which Marshal Badoglio accepted.

This idea was a good one from Berlin's point of view; the Germans would have been relieved of the job of garrisoning and defending the islands. But the members of the Turkish government, left handers as a long time ago. However, while they probably smiled, the incident served to show that the men of Berlin no longer are in a position to accompany their requests with veiled threats. In other words, Turkey—not to mention de Valera's Elre—could accommodate her friends without any serious risks of damaging action by the common enemy.

## Good Business

**HON. JOHN HART'S** announcement that government funds, direct and controlled, to the extent of \$6,000,000 will help to swell subscriptions to Canada's Fifth Victory Loan is excellent business in itself and an earnest of the coalition administration's desire to further in every way possible the nation's war effort. The provincial treasury already had invested no less a sum than \$20,930,000 in Victory Loan issues. The total, therefore, is now \$26,930,000.

British Columbians as a whole, of course, will endorse the Premier's decision to sign their government's cheque for this additional \$6,000,000. Incidentally, it will remind them again of the prudent financial policies which Mr. Hart has followed during the long period in which he has guarded the public till, especially his hard-and-fast rule of paying particular attention to sinking fund accounts. And the people of this province are unequivocally behind the Dominion's contribution to the Allied cause; they want everything done, financially and otherwise, that is calculated to enhance it.

## 'Never Dreamed Of'

**A PAMPHLET ISSUED BY THE** national war finance committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Graham Towers, who was in Victoria for the opening of the Fifth Victory Loan, carries the title "You'll see things you never dreamed of when the lights go on again!" It refers to the new "products" which are on the horizon and is an appeal to Canadians not only to buy bonds now, but to hold them during the war.

Beginning in the New Year, to reinforce the advice of this pamphlet, what Canadian Business magazine describes as a dramatic travelling exhibition—sponsored jointly by the government and business—will tour the country. Its object will be to encourage wartime thrift and the purchase of Victory Bonds by presenting a preview of the good things which are in store for the consumer in the postwar period.

The exhibit will travel from coast to coast. It was conceived and planned by the postwar planning committee of the Association of Canadian Advertisers. Its visual appeal to save now so that these new products may be acquired and enjoyed as soon as they come on the market, should be effective in stirring the imagination of all those people who are now pouring out their money on things they can well get along without in wartime. The display should furnish an added incentive to putting into Victory Bonds all the money available beyond what is required for absolute necessities.

## A New One

**EVEN THOUGH THE GERMAN HIGH** command is facing the prospect of another major disaster on the eastern front, Nazi propaganda cannot be accused of a lack of resourcefulness. The factory of the Herr Doktor Goebbels evidently has discontinued the use of such terms as "detaching" and "disengaging" movements to explain compulsory retreats. Here is the latest reference to the fighting north of Kiev:

"Parts of the attacking (Russian) formations were able to penetrate to the rear of German positions, but German tank grenadiers were able to restore the rearward communications by energetically reversing the fighting direction."

In other words, the major Russian breach of the much-vaunted Nazi defence line of the Dnieper should be considered one of Germany's greatest triumphs, not only because it takes large elements of the Wehrmacht nearer home, but also because it will tend to shorten the war.

## Notes

If Mussolini has not lost his life, he at least has lost everything else.

Those who helped the Axis revealed how little they thought of themselves. They all sold out for chickenfeed.

No use predicting. Only the Germans can tell how much more they wish to suffer before accepting the inevitable.

## Loose Ends

### HOW NAZIS RECRUIT SLAVE LABOR

**THE SCENE IS PARIS**, the time 8 o'clock on a September morning. A 16-year-old youth closes the door of his home in a fashionable residential district, and starts off down the street, whistling.

A German-driven truck rolls up beside him, and the German officer gets out and asks him for his papers. Producing them, he is seized, and pushed into the vehicle, where he finds some 20 other boys under the watchful eye of two armed guards.

He had been "recruited" for manual labor in the best German tradition.

There were 40 of these lads, all between the ages of 16 and 19, when the truck had completed its morning rounds. They were crowded into a cattle car for a trip to Lyon, and thence to a camp. There, they received the information that they were to work under the German forced labor organization (Todt). Their parents were not informed at all, and never would have been if two of their number had not managed to escape. As it is, they have the grim news that their sons are today breaking stones for fortifications in northern Italy.

### MAN-TOE MACHINE

**CONDITIONS** in one of these Todt camps (in the region of Soissons) are described in a dispatch from Algiers:

Six thousand workers, the report says, begin work every morning at 4.30 o'clock, rising of course long before that time, as they first have to complete a train journey from the camp to the scene of their employment.

They work hard until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, with no respite except for a quarter hour for a "snack" and half an hour for "lunch." Adding to their general discomfort is the fact that of every 120 workers, 80 are without shoes.

Back in camp again, some of them do not get their evening meal until 9.30 o'clock, so great are the numbers to be fed. Their repeat comprises, invariably, a piece of black bread, a piece of sausage, and a bit of butter or fat.

They sleep in bunks, 40 to a room, and due to this and to their very early rising, seldom manage to get more than six hours' sleep a night. This only serves to aggravate a lamentable physical condition created by overwork and lack of food, and "absenteeism" is reportedly phenomenal. Of 400 workers on a certain construction job, as many as 250 are unable to make their appearance.

The underground press comforts itself in part with the remark at the end of the account that "under such conditions, production is naturally very meagre."

### LAST SWALLOW

Last swallow over the tree.  
You are not enough to prove  
Green summer is gone from the hill,  
Though all of the voices are still  
And barren the boughs above.

But something goes out from me  
Like the sound of leaves as they move,  
Like a rustle of breath passed by,  
And I know how the lovely must die,  
And I say farewell to my love.

CHARLES MALAM.

### WE ARE NOT POOR RELATIONS

From Winnipeg Free Press

**MANY** war correspondents of Canadian newspapers in the Mediterranean theatre have never got to the front, or near the front; and it is now understood that some of them are to be returned to England because of a British War Office ruling regarding the numbers of war correspondents to be attached to armies or corps of a certain size. It is true that, so far as now known, Canada has only one division at the front; and it is also true that the majority of Canadian war correspondents have been doing their utmost to join it there. But the Canadian government is playing a very short-sighted game if it weakly submits to British rulings and red tape on the subject of news coverage of its army in action.

This is something for Mr. Ralston and Mr. Power to take up with greater vigor, the one with the British War Office, the other with the British Air Ministry. There is too great a tendency on the part of our defence departments to kow-tow to their British counterparts, too great a tendency to accept with little or no question proposals made by British departments of government which they would never dream of making, let us say, to the United States. Why does Canada receive different treatment than the United States? It lies because in even the remote and dustiest corners of British government offices word has been received of the events of 1776; whereas it is likely to be another century before any similar enlightenment penetrates regarding the Statute of Westminster of 1931.

We take it to be one of the most important functions of Canadian cabinet ministers to hasten this process of illumination; and it can be done without in any way creating ill-feeling in Great Britain save only in the minds of those minor functionaries, whose ignorance, lack of imagination and sense of reality have led to the present situation. We can—Great Britain and all the Dominions together—co-operate amicably and completely, and at the same time with a full realization of the independence of each of them. But the relationship must be one of complete equality and not one in which favors are regally dispensed at the hands of British brass hats. It does not do this country any good, either at home or abroad, to have its war correspondents treated like poor relations.

Hollywood reports that a picture based on Samson's life is now under production and that a suggested title is "Victory Through Hair Power."

## LONDON PARADE

By DOUGLAS HOW  
LONDON

### WHISKY

**LORD BEAVERBROOK'S** Daily Express says that whisky was among the many subjects discussed by Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt at Quebec.

Because of the falling reserves in Britain and the fact that grain shortage prevents resumed production here, Mr. Churchill wanted Canada to begin distilling whisky again, the Express said, but United States producers "demurred on the ground that it would revive bootlegging."

The paper reported that there may be a compromise "by which both America and Canada will resume production on a small scale."

### FLANE-FILLED LONDON SKIES

**UNTIL** recently all R.A.F. bombers on their way to the continent have avoided flying over the capital. Now there has been a change and the people of London for the first time are able to see the bombers going out. It's usually just after dusk when the leading planes reach the city. Soon the following planes have literally filled the skies. They seem hardly to be moving as they cross endlessly over the city, climbing slowly towards operational altitude. The vibrations from their massed motors shake every building below.

Often it takes more than an hour for them to pass. Even when it has grown too dark to see the planes themselves, you can watch their progress by their wing lights—which are not switched off until somewhere farther along.

A Canadian watching from London's blacked-out streets, there's something both reassuring and terrifying in seeing them go, knowing that in just a few hours their bombs will be screaming down on other blacked-out cities only a few hundred miles away.

To Londoners there is only a feeling of grim satisfaction and the thrill of a seat on the edge of battle. London remembers the nights three years ago when there were other massed planes in the skies overhead. And so do the crews of these bombers. And they salute this city which took so much, flickering their planes' signal lights in the dot-dot-dot-clash of V for Victory.

### BILLET

**SO YOU** think some of your Canadian cities crowded? Well, one night recently the U.S. Army's billeting office here, having exhausted all other possibilities, had to put up visiting officers in the emergency beds in the air raid shelter of one of London's swankiest hotels. A billeting officer is offering bets that the day will come when the only available space will be the triple-tier bunks on the subway platforms.

### SPEECH AND FOG

**OF ALL** British speech mannerisms, none has been the butt of so many bitter Canadian jokes as the expression: "You can't miss it." Any Briton, asked for directions, invariably ends them with the reassuring advice that "you can't miss it." The reason for the visitor's bitterness is that nine times out of 10 he has just

spent half an hour wandering around the blacked-out streets proving that you darn well can miss it.

If Canadians have any mental picture of London before arriving here, it is sure to involve a sizeable amount of fog—usually described as a "pea soup" fog. Imagine the number of disappointed Canadian soldiers, therefore, since there hasn't been a single fog in 1943.

### WOMANPOWER

**HERE'S** an idea of what the national draft-for-industry means in Britain: For leaving her job at a laundry without permission (her second offence), a London woman last month was sentenced to a month in jail.

The British press reports a manpower shortage in still another profession—the private detective. Seems that these days you've got to be something of a super-Sherlock Holmes yourself to find a sleuth to do the sleuthing.

### QUESTION

**HOW** long is "the duration"? This simple-sounding question has been the subject of considerable unofficial debate in London. Its importance is due to the fact so many contracts, leases and other legal agreements are drawn on a "for the duration" basis. Is it the end of the "duration" when the armistice is declared or when the peace is signed? The answer, in the last war, was—neither. The King did not sign the official declaration which legally ended the "duration" here until the middle of 1920.

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## Personal Notes

His Honor the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward, accompanied by their elder daughter, Mrs. Glen McDonald, will return to Government House Friday morning from Vancouver. They will entertain at a small luncheon party Friday in honor of Mr. Herbert Marshall, the Hollywood film star, and Mrs. Marshall, who will also arrive Friday to take part in the Victory Loan campaign here.

Mrs. W. I. Brooks, Mrs. T. B. McCoud, Mrs. A. Schwalz, Seattle, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

Sqdn. Ldr. and Mrs. Eric Beardmore, with their two children, will leave Victoria shortly to reside in Vancouver.

FO. and Mrs. C. T. Williams have returned to the city after visiting in Seattle, the guests of Mrs. James Griffiths.

Lieut. and Mrs. Douglas Palmer have arrived from Wainwright, Alta., and are the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ross Palmer, Gibraltar.

Mrs. Rene Lindgren, Craigville, has returned home after spending a few days in Vancouver, a guest at the Hotel Vancouver.

Lieut. and Mrs. Alex Plummer have returned to Victoria after visiting the former's parents in Vancouver and attending the Nelles-Allen wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Dawe and children, formerly of "Lazyfir Park," Saanichton, have taken up residence in their new home on Upper Terrace, Uplands.

Mrs. Brooke Stephenson of Victoria, who is visiting Mrs. C. W. Kirk and Mrs. James Young in Vancouver, was honored when Mrs. J. R. Bayne entertained at luncheon Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lorimer have left for Calgary to attend the wedding of their son, James Gibson Lorimer, Canadian Scottish Regiment, and expect to return home early next week.

A. E. Alexander, president of Foster's Fur Store, left Tuesday on T.C.A. plane for Winnipeg, Montreal, Toronto and New York to attend the raw fur auction sales.

Mrs. Helen Berry, Seattle, and Mrs. M. Craig, Tacoma, are guests at the Glenis Hotel, and were entertained at luncheon Tuesday by Mrs. R. H. Adams, 2148 McNeill Avenue.

Dr. Howard Coulthard and Capt. Ernest Heskwith-Smith, who have been visiting in Vancouver for the past few weeks from the east, have arrived in Victoria and will spend the winter at the Empress Hotel.

Mr. W. Deane Dickinson of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, Winnipeg, is visiting in Victoria with his mother, Mrs. W. G. Dickinson, 539 Linden Avenue, having been called here by the death of his father.

Eastern Canadians registered at the Empress Hotel include: Mrs. E. A. Olmstead, Ottawa; Dr. H. G. Coulthard, Toronto; Mr. George Hamby, Toronto; Mrs. L. Wright, Ottawa; Mr. E. A. Haskett-Smith, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarke, Montreal.

Mrs. Robert Bullen, Earl Grey Street, was hostess to members of the Chiselers' Bridge Club, when prizewinners were: Mrs. Robert Livesay and Mrs. Robert Stewart. Others present were: Mesdames Kenneth Scott, Reuben Cartwright, Harry Williams, Tom Newnam and Miss Betty Lansell. Miss Lansell, Graham Street, will be the next hostess.

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Mrs. R. J. Hamilton and Mrs. G. W. Seymour of Vancouver, are at the Empress Hotel today.

Ldg. Writer Dennis McNamara has returned to his home in Victoria, after visiting in Edmonton. Mrs. McNamara and their small daughter, Maureen will remain in the city for a short while, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Helmut Goertz.

Miss Agnes Roy, Ottawa, assistant supervisor of National Housing Registration for the Wartime Prices and Trade Board, will arrive in Victoria Nov. 3. Mrs. W. E. Rayfuse will leave for Vancouver Saturday to meet Miss Roy, where they will attend a conference on national housing.

Mrs. T. M. Jones, Beach Drive, will leave Vancouver tonight for eastern Canada to attend the wedding of her daughter, Margaret Maureen Vickers (Peggy), and Philip McLean Poape, B.A., which will take place Nov. 6, at 2:30, in Christ Church, Stanstead, Que. Miss Jones has been spending the past two months in eastern Canada.

Tea guests of the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel Wednesday were: Bernard O. Schonegevel, guest speaker; Mrs. George Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Palmer, Mesdames Peter McNaughton, S. J. Willis, J. P. Myers, Lagen Smith, F. G. Aldous, Alan Campbell and Fred Pollard, Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Willis presided at the tea table.

A formal banquet was held in the Prince Albert room of the Empress Hotel, Tuesday evening, to mark the second anniversary of the founding in Victoria of Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi. Guests were Mrs. T. H. Johns, sponsor of the chapter, and Miss Mary Dehler, member of an Ottawa chapter, at present stationed in Victoria, attached to the W.R.C.N.S.

### Auxiliary to Wrap Christmas Parcels

W.A. to the Three Services Canteen will again wrap parcels for servicemen who bring their Christmas gifts to the canteen towards the middle of November. It was announced at a meeting of the auxiliary Tuesday, Miss Frances Fitzgibbon will convene the effort.

During the week commencing Oct. 2, 11,700 servicemen used the Three Services Canteen. The milk bar served 3,534 patrons and 2,933 meals were served. One thousand sheets of notepaper and 1,500 envelopes were used during the week.

Mrs. W. N. Sheffield presided. Elks' concert party will entertain at the canteen Friday at 8.

### Cwacs On 2-Day Tour of New York

NEW YORK (CP)—Sgt. June Morrison and Pte. Claire LeFebvre of Montreal have started the two-day tour of New York they won for writing prize essays on the theme "Why I Joined the C.W.A.C." Arriving from Montreal Tuesday morning by plane, the girls were welcomed by Miss K. Agnes McCleskey, Canadian consul here, at LaGuardia airport, and they stood for a solid hour in a freezing half-gale while photographers took their pictures.

They were whisked to the City Hall, where Mayor LaGuardia greeted them in his office, receiving from red-headed Sgt. Morrison a maple leaf emblem and a C.W.A.C. pin.

### W.C.T.U. Pound Party

Mrs. W. C. Woodward, wife of His Honor—the Lieutenant-Governor, will attend the annual pound party of the W.C.T.U. Home, 104 Street, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Woodward will be accompanied by her secretary, Miss Ruth MacLean.

Tea will be served from 3 to 5. Mrs. Nancy Hodges, M.L.A., presiding.

Donations of fruit, vegetables, linen, layettes or cash will be received.

Over \$100 was realized at a sale of work held by Women's Auxiliary to T.V.A., it was announced at a meeting, under Mrs. R. Standerville. Mrs. J. Adams and Mrs. S. Young convened a miscellaneous stall, and Mesdames H. Crabtree, M. Fletcher and F. Huellin served tea. Plans were made to send Christmas parcels to servicemen overseas and members will assist on Poppy Day.

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### Parents' Neglect Alarms Directors Of Children's Aid

Alarm for children where both parents are employed, and adequate provision is not being made for them in their parents' absence, was expressed at a meeting of the board of directors of the Children's Aid Society.

The society has taken steps to urge that employers, as far as possible, do not employ mothers of small children. Representation has also been made to the Board of Police Commissioners urging that action be taken to prevent young children from being on the streets at late hours, unaccompanied.

Rev. J. L. W. McLean was appointed first vice-president, and D. McMillan presided.

Mrs. T. Hartnell, in her family department report, noted nine cases of neglect during the month, concerning, for the most part, children of fathers who are with the armed forces.

Eight unmarried mothers were helped. A representative attended 13 hearings of the Juvenile Court; eight histories of the children concerned were prepared at the request of the court.

Mrs. Mutrie reported that 25 children have been admitted to care for foster home placement during the past four months.

Miss Beatrice Gurney, experienced with Children's Aid Societies in the east, and with the International Grenfell Association, has been appointed to the position vacated by Miss Isobel Sullivan.

Miss Nan McLeary, graduate of Social Science Course of the University of B.C., has been appointed as a case worker, and Miss Dorothy Trenholm has been employed as half-time stenographer.

TORONTO (CP)—Canada is so vast even home missions are in a sense "foreign" because of the great distances, Bishop J. C. Cody of Victoria, B.C., told a meeting under joint auspices of the women's auxiliaries of the Catholic Church Extension Society of Canada and the St. Francis Xavier (China) Mission Society.

Stagette Club decided at a meeting Monday to join with the Kiwanis Club in giving a Hal-loween party at the B.C. Protestant Orphanage. Bride party planned for Oct. 26 has been postponed.

### Farmerette Social Set for Friday

Harvest time will provide the theme for the Solarium Junior League's farmerette box social, to be staged at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, Friday night, when girls will provide box lunches, and guests will arrive garbed in fancy-dress costumes.

Highlights of the dance will be presentation of prizes for the best costumes, and a chorus entitled: "Pistol Packing Mommas," featuring club members. Miss Helen Peden, Mrs. Gordon Scott, Mrs. Noel Morgan and Mrs. Art Chapman will participate. Modern and oldtime music will be provided by Bunk McEwen's orchestra, and tickets for the dance may be obtained from members, Fletcher Brothers' Music Store, or Pollock Brothers, florists.

Victoria Chrysanthemum Society will hold their annual display at the Crystal Garden, Nov. 4, 5 and 6, and proceeds will be donated to Queen Alexandra Solarium. Tickets may be obtained from florists. Mrs. J. E. Moore, former league member, was welcomed back into the society, and a new member, Mrs. Art Chapman, was introduced. Mrs. A. W. E. Pitkethley, president, was in the chair. Sum of \$102 was raised by a recent rummage sale, members learned.

Metropolitan W.M.S. held a thanksgiving meeting, Mrs. C. F. Wharton presiding. Devotional was taken by Mrs. W. McGibbon and Mrs. R. Pettigrew. Mrs. E. Crummy spoke on "Thanksgiving" and Mrs. J. T. Taylor reviewed the new study book, "For All of Life." Mrs. Ratchiff was the soloist.

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### Jubilee W.A. Plan Dance for Oct. 29

Among those who have announced their patronage at the dance to be given by the Women's Auxiliary of Royal Jubilee Hospital at the Empress Hotel Friday, Oct. 29, are Lieut.-Governor W. C. Woodward and Mrs. Woodward, Premier and Mrs. John Hart, Mayor and Mrs. Andrew McGavin, Capt. and Mrs. Massey Golden, Brig. and Mrs. J. F. Preston and Air Commodore and Mrs. E. L. MacLeod.

Dancing will begin at 9, with Tickle's 10-piece orchestra playing.

Proceeds will be used to buy special equipment and supplies for the hospital.

Mrs. L. G. W. Tallamy is convener, assisted by Mesdames E. Sheppard, Fred Pollard, N. Beke-

low, W. A. Parrott, H. C. Anderson and R. H. Oliver, and Miss C. Hall.

Lodge Princess Margaret Rose, Juvenile Daughters of England, will meet Thursday at 6:30 in the Sons of England Hall.

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## 'Grycie' Fields Back From War; 'Sergeant' Song Hit

By MARGUERITE YOUNG

NEW YORK—Gracie Fields, the million-dollar blonde comic whose big brass voice and ribald antics make one really rowdy institution that even the sedate Britisher loves, is back from a 10-week tour at the front, and she has the reason why there is no hinky-dinky-parley-vous this time.

"Too many tanks and planes and trucks," Miss Fields explained simply. "Soldiers are on the move all the time at the front; never do enough of them stay together in one place long enough for a tune to sweep through divisions and armies."

At that, they manage to pick up languages, Miss Fields asserted.

"I know a British officer who met a mayor's daughter. She didn't know a word of English and he didn't speak one of Italian. But now he knows his way back to that town in Italian because, as he says to me, 'There's only one way to learn a language. Gracie, you know what I mean.'"

### GLAMOUR VS. MOSQUITOES

For once the ever-crackling Miss Fields, one of the world's great troopers, admitted that a concert tour tuckered her out. She did at least three a day, moving right along with the troops in north Africa, Sicily and in Malta. Usually she performed from the back of an open truck on which somebody always hoisted a Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes. She counted it a lucky break to arrive at mid-night where there was a hall—then, she said, some lads would have torches and would bring them and sit on the stage, making it much easier for her to provide glamour while wrapped up in heavy anti-mosquito clothes.

The soldiers know as much as you do about new, popular songs. They learn them by radio, Miss Fields reported. They ask for the timeless songs.

"They just never considered a concert finished until I sang 'Ave Maria' or 'The Lord's Prayer,'" she said.

In England cheering workmen in out-of-the-way factories for five weeks, she felt closest to combat.

### BLITZ IN PORTSMOUTH

"When I got to Portsmouth I thought the war had started—I mean I thought the blitz had started over again," she said. "It was bang, bang, bang for three nights. But, after all, it proved to be only another big rehearsal."

"The Canadian boys in England and the British all feel very much 'Let's get cooking.' They are pretty homesick, but their spirits seemed bright."

They also told her they're sick of canned, processed meat—and so is Gracie Fields.

"First thing I did here was to go and order myself a meal," she said. "My stomach had shrunk so I couldn't eat a quarter of my food."

She returned by bomber with 26 soldiers, no seats in it. She was going to Hollywood to start her new Victory Show on the air. She hopes her movies will include some more parts like the one she played before going overseas—a real character part,

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geant is still the terror of the army, women's as well as men's."

### Senator McRae Weds

NEW YORK (CP)—Maj.-Gen. A. D. McRae of Vancouver, a member of the Canadian Senate, and Mrs. Allen Rods of El Paso, Tex., were married Monday in Fifth Avenue Presbyterian

Church, by Rev. Dr. F. W. Thompson, brother-in-law of the bride. Members of both families were present at the quiet wedding.

Senator McRae is 68. The bride, whose husband died 15 years ago, is 50.

Rev. F. W. Anderson spoke at the annual thanksgiving meeting of W.M.S. of First United Church. Mrs. W. H. Muncy reported on the Dominion board meeting in Toronto. Miss Townsend was the vocal soloist and Mrs. O. A. Butters presided.

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### KING MADE HER A LADY

It's a long way from there to here: Gracie Fields is a "Lady" now; the King presented her with the Royal Order of Commander of the British Empire.

her own in Britain. She wants to go back to the front again.

The hit of this tour, she said, was:

"Don't be angry with me, sergeant, Don't say what you were going to say—

Don't call me what you called me yesterday.

Don't say rude things about my parents—

Remember, they're the only ones I've known,

And some day, though you are a sergeant,

You might have some parents of your own."

"Even the W.F.A.'s and the W.A.C.'s laughed," Miss Fields reported. "Evidently the ser-



## 'Write,' Service Boys Ask Folks Letters Only Link With Home

By KAY McINTYRE

A youthful private was lounging in the three services canteen today. I asked him what kind of letter he liked most to receive.

"Lady," he said. "All I ever want is a letter."

It was a reply that countless other servicemen must have voiced many a time in the last four years. With separation perhaps the most dominant factor in the lives of most people these days, a letter from home is the only remaining link for sons, brothers, sweethearts and husbands between their new life and what they hold most dear.

These boys, and girls, in uniform, too, have very definite ideas about what they want to read. From answers to questionnaires and polls, it seems they want most to get letters telling in order of importance, that all is well at home, that the family are proud of them, but without laying that item on too thickly; and pleasant, chatty details of things in their peacetime way of life. About the last mentioned soldiers say they are more cheered by personal accounts—how the family loved his picture in uniform, or that airgraph from the Mediterranean—than by impersonal notes.

do get a kick out of laments that the only boy friends still around are "category E's, old man and babies."

Pictures of his family, his girl friend, his pets, and friends, along with newspaper clippings help brighten the day when mail is delivered in distant outposts.

All say they hate complaints about shortages of gasoline, coffee, chocolates, silk stockings, or anything else hard to get these days. They don't mind a line or two about the war effort on the home front, but don't care a bit about accounts of strikes and wage arguments.

For example, there was a soldier a while ago who was infuriated by a letter from a friend at home complaining about the meal he had just eaten on, a meatless Tuesday, and how he could no longer run his car more than a few miles each week.

Said the soldier: "That so-and-so should have had what we had to eat in Kasserine Pass, and the sound effects, too."

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### RIGHT KIND OF GIRL NEWS

Nearly all mention they want direct answers to questions written home, and that nothing is more exasperating than to ask for an address, or about friends, and have the query ignored.

In letters from sweetheart, and wives the soldiers say they want most of all to hear about how much they are missed, and how they are still the one and only. Nearly all mention they don't like hearing about girl friends going out with other men, but that they

### Few Nazi Raiders Hit East England

LONDON (CP)—A small force of German air raiders dropped bombs at widely-separated places in eastern England Tuesday night, touched off the fourth successive night alert in London and caused some casualties.

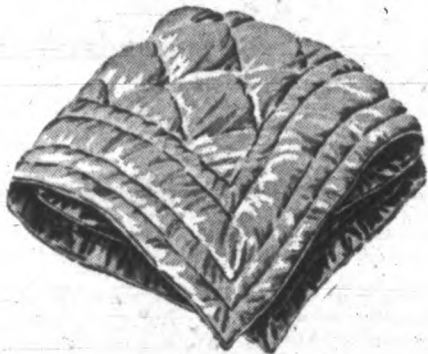
Four persons were killed by a bomb which dropped in one suburb of the capital and 12 others were buried by falling debris, but they were rescued alive.



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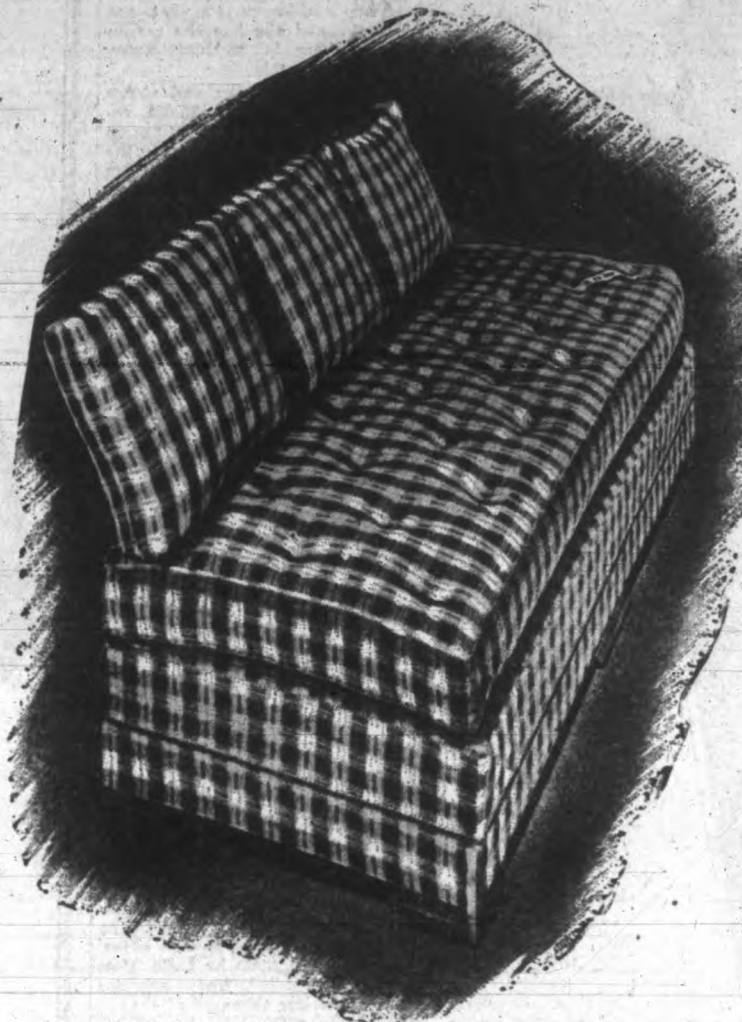
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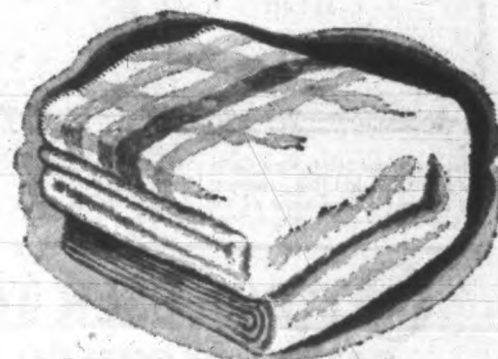
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# Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

**PAYING** a visit to the ice rink one morning this week we looked over candidates for the Navy entry in the coast hockey circuit. The bluejackets have the cream of the crop from last season's club back in harness along with some smart looking amateur puck material from the prairies. After watching coach Porky Hulme put the boys through their paces for nearly two hours we left with no worries about what kind of a club will wear the navy blue.

One thing is certain. The Navy will ice a big strong club. All the new recruits are powerful-looking youngsters who look like they could skate all night, while they will be able to hold their own when the going gets tough. Three of the newcomers, Church Russell, centre man from last year's Winnipeg Rangers; Gb Nordin from Winnipeg Navy and Jack McLeod of last season's Port Arthur Bearcats, took our eye as being mighty smooth looking hockey players. Charlie Kraiger, last season with Buffalo Bisons in the American Association, was not in the ice but we have it from Coach Hulme that he is a sweet right winger.

Hal Brown, leading scorer of the club last season, and one of the sweetest forwards in the league until he suffered a broken collarbone in a game at Nanaimo, looked just as smooth as ever despite the fact it was only his fourth time on skates. At the conclusion of the practice

"Brownie" was pretty tired and remarked: "Think I'll go back to sea, it's a lot easier than hockey practice."

Realizing his club faces a tough opening game against the powerful Army club at Nanaimo, Coach Hulme is really driving his charges. From the time they step on the ice to start practice it is a case of working at top speed all the time. The boys get mighty little rest and it certainly will not be Porky's fault if the club is not in tip-top condition by game time the night of Nov. 8. I think Hulme would like nothing better than to start the season with a win over the highly-touted Army squad.

One of the best world series stories has to do with a meeting between Frankie Frisch and Umpire Jocko Conlan en route to St. Louis. Frank introduced the umpire to Mrs. Frisch, this day. "Honey, I'd like you to meet Mr. Conlan. He's the man who put me out of all those games this season and took the money I was saving to buy you a new fur coat."

Showing the difference between a series-winning manager and a second-string catcher, Joe McCarthy was made an honorary member of the Buffalo police force Monday—and Buddy Rosar got nothing but the bounce from the New York Yankees when he tried for an ordinary patrolman's job a while back.

## Night Ball Games Will Make Return In Coast Circuit

**SAN FRANCISCO (AP)**—Night baseball in the Coast League next season is a virtual certainty if the new dimout relaxations remain in effect and the war manpower situation is such that sufficient players will be available. In view of the outlook for 1944 there may be no transfer of the Sacramento franchise to some other city, as was discussed frequently in the news paper sports columns the last season.

We quote the following telegram from Sam Bredon, president of the St. Louis Cardinals club, owner of the Sacramento franchise, park and holdings: "We are not considering moving the Sacramento franchise at this time." Bredon, of course, leaves an opening and may have different ideas when the Coast League meeting is held in Oakland, Nov. 1, but night baseball in Sacramento is a different proposition than the daytime variety, which probably set an all-time low for attendance in the capital city last season. After-dark games have been pretty popular and while figures are not immediately available, it would appear the club must have held its own financially, if not showing a profit, during some of the years since the Cardinals took over.

**MORENZ JOIN CANADIANS** **MONTREAL (CP)**—Howie Morenz Jr. will play for Canadians in the Junior Amateur Hockey Association loop here this season, maintaining the Canadian tradition of his famous National Hockey League father, it was announced Tuesday.

Young Morenz, who played with Catholic High School last season, will be coached by Wilf Cude, goalie with the N.H.L. Canadians in the days of Morenz Sr., who died several years ago.



## Teeworth Scores Handicap Victory

**TORONTO (CP)**—Nat Northwood's Teeworth dropped from the clouds Tuesday to gain an eyelash decision over W. E. MacDonald's Tulachmore in the \$1,300 Western Handicap, feature race of Dufferin Park's third-day card.

The bay mare trailed Dufferin's abbreviated stretch and charged past Tulachmore in the last few strides. Overlooked by the public despite two smart victories at Woodbine and a successful campaign at Hastings Park in Vancouver, Teeworth paid \$12.60, \$4.20 and \$3.30 under Eric Barber.

Tulachmore led by daylight for most of the mile and an eighth journey to flatter the backers who installed him a 6 to 5 choice, but the three-year-old was doing his best at the end to repel Mungump, which was third over Stand Easy.

Teeworth took 2.01 for the eight furlongs over a heavy track.

W. F. Morrissey's Eden Court won the second race over the Westerner Epernay to provide a \$73.55 daily double for those who coupled the filly with Little Storm, winner of the first event at \$8.40 over Haggerthy and the 2 to 1 shot, Scallyanne.

**Small Decline Seen In Football Crowds** **NEW YORK (AP)**—In spite of makeshift schedules and other wartime handicaps, football attendance at United States colleges still playing the game has shown a comparatively small decline from last year's turnouts.

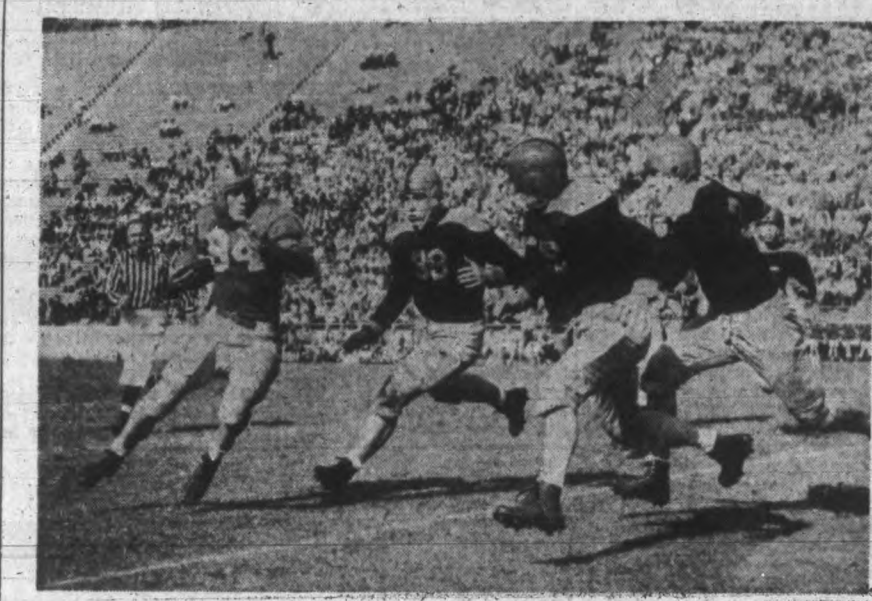
A country-wide survey by the Associated Press of almost three score colleges and universities disclosed today that attendance for 133 games this season has been 1,827,454, while 138 games by the same teams in approximately the same period last year attracted 2,111,990.

**McSpaden Reports For Army Medical** **PHILADELPHIA (AP)**—Harold (Jug) McSpaden, unofficial U.S. golf champion of 1943, reports to his Winchester, Mass., draft board for his army physical examination No. 2, it was disclosed Tuesday.

The Philadelphia Country Club pro won the Tam o' Shanter All-American tournament this summer, and defeated Sammy Byrd in a special match for the unofficial U.S. championship this month.

Mexico has produced some 5,500,000,000 ounces of silver in 400 years since Cortez landed in that country, and is now producing about 80,000,000 ounces a year.

## California Loses Thriller



Typical of the opposition that University of California footballers met against Alonzo Stagg's College of Pacific players is seen above. The photo shows California left half, Jed Cartwright, about to be swarmed under by Pacific men. Bearing down on him are Earl Klapestein (38) and John Verutti (26). Notice that not a California man is in sight other than ball carrier.

## Big-Time Sport Continues For Duration in U.S.

**NEW YORK (CP)**—Big-time commercial sport in the United States seems to have passed safely through its own war crisis and to stand every chance of doing business as usual for the duration.

Washington isn't given to talking aloud on the sports question, but the very absence of any word from government or army or navy sources is taken to mean there will be nothing to prevent the major leagues from operating next baseball season, or for that matter, the minor leagues.

One thing, sure, there will be even fewer good ball players available than this year. The United States has started drafting fathers whose children arrived before the United States entered the war and this draft will take in scores of ball-playing papas missed up to now. But the clubs are determined to carry on.

Racing is nearing the end of a fabulous season. Attendance and betting records have been set at nearly every major park, and the fact that state governments take a good share of betting proceeds is one factor favorable to continuance of the business.

**GALA SEASON** College football is having a fair season, using for the most part students who are in various stages of preparing for duty in the armed services. And there are enough draft-exempt big fellows to keep the professional National League going.

Hockey is largely Canada's manpower problem, since virtually all the professionals are Canadians, but the best evidence indicates the hockey players will be welcomed usual when the National and American Leagues start their schedules shortly.

There isn't a sports operator in the country who wouldn't like to know exactly what the government has in mind for the future. Bill Corum, veteran sports columnist of the New York Journal-American, went to Washington especially to find the answer and in his report he summed up this way: "Don't let anybody tell you that the powers that be in Washington are opposed to sports, or don't want sports to continue in this country. Because it isn't true. The majority of them not only like sports too much themselves for that to be true, but also believe they are essential to the morale of the army, navy and country as a whole."

**College of Pacific Meets Great Trojans** **LOS ANGELES (AP)**—The wizardry of the old football master, Amos Alonzo Stagg, will be the magnet Saturday for the United States west coast's biggest grid crowd this season as the undefeated College of the Pacific team collides with the University of Southern California's unscored-on Trojans.

Sixty thousand or more may watch these two great eleven settle the collegiate grid supremacy of the Pacific Coast. Inasmuch as the Pacific Coast Conference has been split asunder by the war, the winner could be the Rose Bowl game's western representative Jan. 1.

The College of the Pacific backfield, the 31-year-old Stagg says, is the best combination he has had in his 54 years' experience.

**COMMANDOS GET LAPRADE** **OTTAWA (CP)**—Edgar LaPrade, Port Arthur hockey star, enlisted here Tuesday in the army, raising speculation he will be available to Commandos, Ottawa's army team in the Quebec Senior Hockey League and last year's Allan Cup champions.

## Carr Real Veteran Hockeyist Proves Great Team Man

**ST. CATHARINES, Ont. (CP)**—Thirteen years of professional hockey's turbulent competition rest lightly on the slim shoulders of Lorne Carr, high scoring right wing of Toronto Maple Leafs in the National Hockey League.

The speed and dash the 33-year-old native of Stoughton, Sask., is showing in Toronto's pre-season workouts here belie his own description of the current crop of N.H.L. performers as being either "too young or too old."

One of the five veterans of the 1942-43 Toronto team, Carr is essentially a team player. He emphasized that unconsciously when discussing his best year in hockey.

"I guess if you were talking about individual performance you would call last year my best," he said, "but I figure my best year was 1941-42, when we won the Stanley Cup."

The records show that last season—his 13th—was his best. He scored 27 goals and had 33 assists for 60 points, ranking fifth in N.H.L. scoring and first among the Toronto players.

His performance won him a place on the Canadian Press All-Star team in the annual poll conducted among sport writers in N.H.L. cities.

**CLEVER JUNIOR** He was an outstanding goal scorer in his junior days, when he played with Canadians of Calgary, where his family moved from Stoughton.

In 1929 he was the chief offensive threat for Canadians when they whipped Regina 6 to 2 to enter the western junior final against Winnipeg Elmwoods, scoring most of his team's goals. Elmwoods won the final by a 5 to 4 margin.

The next year he joined Vancouver Lions in the Coast League, and then headed for Buffalo Bisons in the International League for two seasons.

"I was on a championship team in my first three years in pro hockey. Lions won the Pacific Coast title, and Buffalo won the International League title two years in a row."

His first N.H.L. experience was with New York Rangers, with whom he served part of one season before being shipped down to the International league. In 1934-35 he returned to major ranks with the New York Americans, with whom he played for seven seasons before being acquired by Toronto. He now is starting his third season with the Leafs.

His goal-scoring total for the 13 years he has been in pro ranks is 185, including minor league

## Ottawa Observes Strict Silence On Broda Episode

**OTTAWA (CP)**—A defence department spokesman said Tuesday that army headquarters here has nothing to say about the case of Turk Broda, former Toronto Maple Leafs' goalie, taken from a train by R.C.M.P. and inducted into the army.

"The Broda case is a matter for Military District No. 2, which has the necessary jurisdiction to handle anything like that without help from Ottawa," he said.

Monday in Toronto Col. R. H. Davidson, assistant national mobilization registrar for Toronto district, said his office had been informed Broda was planning to leave Toronto before his military call-up notice expired last Thursday midnight, and that "it was my duty to see that Broda did not beat his draft."

It was understood that the question of service sports generally—and particularly competition between various districts for players of outstanding calibre to bolster service teams—now is under review by officials here.

While the Broda case, as an individual case, is a matter for M.D. 2 at Toronto, the matter of determining general policy is a matter for headquarters here, it was said.

**Our Mail Bag** **PRaises Rugby Referee** To the Sports Editor: As a spectator I saw last Saturday's rugby football fixture between the Army and the R.A.F. With a much depleted side the Army proved too strong for their opponents.

Standing near the touch line I was surprised to hear the abuse the referee received on different occasions from several members of the Army side on making his decisions.

It almost appeared that certain members of this more experienced side had been self-appointed playing referees. By his position in the field being nearest to the players the referee is obviously the best judge of play.

I do not know the gentleman who acted as referee on this occasion, but I consider he displayed great patience and forbearance in putting up with this unsporting behavior.

**J. GRAHAM GRAHAM.** and playoff games. He has had 189 assists for a point total of 374.

## Flight Instruction



Pam Barton, British and former United States women's golf champion, now a flight officer at fighter command station in England, teaches golf to members of R.A.F. P.O. A. C. Brunet of Montreal has D.F.C. to go with any golf medal he may win.

# Hockey Gossip

One of the slickest performers at St. Catharines, Ont., training camp of Toronto Maple Leafs won't lift a stick for Leafs this season. He's Billy Taylor of the Canadian army spending a furlough with the Leafs. The former Toronto centre star is ticketed to coach Toronto's junior Marlboros this season.

Coach Frank Boucher of New York Rangers is high on Fred Shero, a junior with St. James Canadians in the Winnipeg League last season. "He carries himself like a veteran professional player," says Boucher. Another promising rookie in the Ranger camp at Winnipeg is Bill Tindall, who played defence for Winnipeg Rangers when they won the Memorial Cup last season.

Rinkside rumor in Montreal has it that Bert Gardiner may go to Boston Bruins to fill the gap left by Frankie Brimsek's departure. Gardiner is Canadian's property and played last season with Chicago Black Hawks.

If Jack McDonald gains a berth with Rangers, he'll be united with Bill Gooden. Both played for Portage La Prairie Terriers when they won the Memorial Cup in 1942.

Detroit (AP)—Modere (Mud) Bruneteau, making his debut as captain of the Detroit Red Wings of the National Hockey League, scored three goals and had assists on two others as the Wings smothered the Cleveland Barons of the American League 9 to 2 in an exhibition hockey game before 3,605 here Tuesday. Carl Liscombe the only other player to count more than one goal, scored twice.

Rookies Tony Bukovich and Frank Kane and veterans Joe Carveth and Adam Brown scored once each for Detroit. Mike Shabaga and Danny Sprout counted for Cleveland.

**HAMILTON, Ont. (CP)**—Manager Eddie Shore had so many players in uniform Tuesday night his coach needed a recording secretary to keep tab on them, but Buffalo Bisons of the American Hockey League still lost their first exhibition game of the season to St. Catharines Saints of the Ontario Hockey Association. Estimates of the Buffalo player parade ranged from 25 to 40.

**DETROIT (CP)**—Manager Jack Adams of Detroit Red Wings cut three more rookies from his squad Tuesday and announced that he is making plans to use Jud McAttee of Oshawa, Ont., a forward, in games Wings will play in Toronto and Montreal this season.

The youngsters Adams shaved from the roster were Emile Francis, 17-year-old goalkeeper from North Battleford, Sask., Norm Grinke, 21-year-old defenceman from Winnipeg, and Bob Robertson, 15-year-old defenceman from Toronto.

In his plans to use McAttee, Adams can dress the fiery Oshawa hockeyist only for games played in Canada because he is working in an Oshawa war plant and cannot leave his job for games across the border.

**WINNIPEG (CP)**—New York Rangers' fourth brother act in 18 years is in the making. The brothers are Grant and Billy "Warwick" two Regina lads, who have been traveling at a fast clip in preseason workouts with the Gotham club here and may possibly be seen together with Rangers in the National Hockey League season.

In the past the Cooks, Bill and Bun, the Patricks, Lynn and Muzz, and the Colvilles, Nell and Mac, have sparked many Ranger attacks.

Grant, 22, is no stranger to a Ranger playing suit, being a regular of two years standing, but the closest Billy, 19-year-old youngster, has come is several exhibition games with the Manhattans late last season.

## Clint Smith Goes To Chicano Hawks

**MINNEAPOLIS (CP)**—Chicago Black Hawks of the National Hockey League announced here Tuesday night they had purchased Clint Smith, 29-year-old player from New York Rangers and that he would report for training shortly.

The addition of Smith, who spent seven years as a member of Rangers, and the arrival of 36-year-old Cully Dahlstrom from Seattle, now gives the Hawks 10 experienced professionals to launch the 1943-44 N.H.L. season. Dahlstrom has been employed during the off-season in a Seattle war plant, but recently secured

# Navy Will Ice Strong Squad In Hockey Loop

## Sweeney Schriener Definite Member Of Calgary Navy

**CALGARY (CP)**—Any doubt that Dave (Sweeney) Schriener wouldn't play hockey for the navy team of Calgary in the Alberta Service Senior League during the 1943-44 season, can be dispelled.

The former National League scoring flash was sworn in at H.M.C.S. Tecumseh, Tuesday afternoon, and when he gets his call for duty, which may not be for several weeks, he will be an ordinary seaman.

"News that Schriener had enlisted with the navy last Saturday was a trifle premature," stated Marty Burke, coach of the navy hockey team, "but you can tell the world that he signed up Tuesday."

Burke was quite happy over the whole affair, for he counts upon the former major league sniper scoring a lot of goals for his club this winter.

Up to a few days ago Toronto Maple Leafs were trying to entice Schriener back to the N.H.L., but Sweeney stood firm in the statement made when he returned from the east last spring. "I am through with big-time hockey, it's getting too tough."

Schriener had planned on retiring following the 1941-42 season when he achieved the ambition of his hockey career that of being a member of a world championship team. However, he carried out the wish of Connie Smythe, that if the Leafs really needed him he would return.

## Bay Meadows Gets Nine Extra Days

**SAN MATEO, Calif. (AP)**—Present Arms traveled one mile in 1:40.40 on a damp track to take the \$1,200 Routh Mitchell purse feature at Bay Meadows Tuesday.

Aboard the winner, owned by Mrs. C. Gregory of New Orleans, was Denis Dubois, also from the Louisiana city. Second to Present Arms was Get Off, with Riverliff third.

The California Jockey Club which operates Bay Meadows was granted nine extra days of racing this season by the California Horse Racing Board at the board's meeting Tuesday.

**Results follow:**  
First race—Six furlongs:  
Tiger Gulch (Jones) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Tyrone (Dobson) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Gold Cliff (Dobson) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:41.3-5. Also ran: Hi Ginny, Tish, Corbin, Bona, Silver Dancer, Patrick B.  
Second race—Six furlongs:  
Red Cannonball (Dye) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Jack's Brides (Jones) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Jean Greenock (Dobson) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:41.4-1. Liberty Bar, Gold Boss, Maribel, Valida, Bona, Silver Dancer, Brumel, Duke of War, Milk Bar, Valida.  
Third race—Six furlongs:  
Duke's Brides (Dye) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Big Sue (Hart) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Mac's Lady (Fleming) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:41.4-1. Liberty Bar, Gold Boss, Maribel, Valida, Bona, Silver Dancer, Brumel, Duke of War, Milk Bar, Valida.  
Fourth race—Five and a half furlongs:  
Bastion Rose (Peterson) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Paper Luck (Dobson) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Mac's Lady (Fleming) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:41.4-1. Liberty Bar, Gold Boss, Maribel, Valida, Bona, Silver Dancer, Brumel, Duke of War, Milk Bar, Valida.  
Fifth race—Six furlongs:  
Bastion Rose (Peterson) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Trot's Pride (Fleming) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:41.4-1. Liberty Bar, Gold Boss, Maribel, Valida, Bona, Silver Dancer, Brumel, Duke of War, Milk Bar, Valida.  
Sixth race—Six furlongs:  
Bastion Rose (Peterson) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Moon Question (Dye) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:41.4-1. Liberty Bar, Gold Boss, Maribel, Valida, Bona, Silver Dancer, Brumel, Duke of War, Milk Bar, Valida.  
Seventh race—Six furlongs:  
Bastion Rose (Peterson) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Black Legion, Highland Park, Hot Drop, Tangle, Colonel, Cap, Seaton, Financial, Lady Millaire.  
Eighth race—Six furlongs:  
Bastion Rose (Peterson) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Present Arms (Dubois) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Get Off (Blair) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
River Last (Dye) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:40. Also ran: Army Song, Ava, Delish, Buzz Finger, By Bred, Overland Trail, Lili, Beau Catcher.  
Ninth race—Six furlongs:  
Bastion Rose (Peterson) \$15.00 \$6.00 \$4.00  
Sunny (Adams) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Antia Chiquila (Hart) \$11.00 2.10 2.10  
Time, 1:40. Also ran: Be Lido, No Count, 3-5, Siesta, Dick, Nishapur, Friendly Paul.

## Joe Gordon Home

**EUGENE, Ore. (AP)**—Joe Gordon, New York Yankees' second baseman, said Tuesday, he doubted if he would play baseball again next year, but his friends only smiled.

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### Lieut. Turley Killed

TORONTO (CP)—Lieut. Wm. A. Turley, 25, of Toronto was killed in action while serving with the Canadian Reconnaissance Corps in Italy, Oct. 6, his parents have been informed.

His father, Geo. Turley, an original veteran of the 13th Battalion, Black Watch, in the first Great War, is credited with organizing the first poppy day in Canada, while his grandfather, Geo. Turley, 91, is possibly the only remaining veteran who fought with the famed British square in the Battle of Ulundi in the 1870 Kaffir campaign.

### To Fly to Iceland

WINNIPEG (CP)—Three Icelandic pilots who have been civilian fliers at No. 5 air observers' school here for two years have purchased a plane of their own and are planning to return to Iceland shortly to open an airline. They are Chris Olson, Alfred Eliasson and Sigurdur Olafson. They will leave for Iceland as soon as they can secure releases from the air school and their plane will be shipped there.

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### Speed the Victory!

Action on the Atlantic coast by air and sea was described in an informal talk given by two R.C.A.F. officers to a Victory Loan employees' meeting at the Standard Furniture Co. this morning.

FO. Richard Garrett, Victoria, and Flt.-Lieut. David Baldwin, New Orleans, now in the Royal Canadian Air Force, have each had close to 2,000 hours operational flying, and from this experience have harvested a wealth of interesting experiences.

Break weather conditions during patrols added to the difficulties and dangers of night flying, and Flt.-Lieut. Baldwin described one of his most hazardous flights when battling a 115-mile gale.

On one occasion, FO. Garrett said, a boat on the open Atlantic was found to have 38 persons aboard. The fliers were surprised to find no exultant waving when they passed over, as is usually the case, but this was fully understandable later when it was revealed that only two were still alive. The rest were riddled.

"The enemy must have had a full hour's gun practice before leaving the boat," he said.

The Payroll Plan of the National War Finance Committee is providing a series of talks to employees of Victoria firms to bring home to civilians the necessity of supporting the fighting forces.

Many of the speakers have won medals and ribbons for their part in action; all of them are men who unflinchingly volunteer not only material possessions, but their lives. This was well demonstrated in the National War Finance Film run previous to the speeches, "They Bomb by Night," a remarkable picture of R.C.A.F. planes on duty. Commentary was by Napier Moore.

Other speakers on the Payroll panel today were FO. Bill Galliver, who addressed David Spencer Ltd., E. & N. Railway, and Maxwell Construction Co.; FO. Allan Jones, R.C.N., at Hudson's Bay Co. and Yarrow's; Flt.-Lieut. Michael Layton, St. Joseph's Hospital, and Yarrow's No. 1 yard.

Behind a barricade of sandbags banked against realistic battlefields, a group of fighting men lay their plans for the conquest of a city. One is in the foreground marking on a huge blackboard details of the campaign, and chalking up relayed messages from his conferees. "Nine for 800," he cries. "Fourteen for 2050!" A murmur of approval.

Others with intent and urgent faces gather round, absorbing the chief's orders, filling them mentally, and drawing from him the inspiration, impulse and driving force so necessary to the success of the major-scale offensive.

The drive, plotted and planned in minutest detail for many weeks, sweeps the country; in three days 3,000 miles of Canada are alive to the greatest objective in her history—\$1,200,000,000 for the Fifth Victory Loan.

Between 8 and 9 in the morning canvassers gather in the Victoria unit headquarters at 737 Fort to organize and to receive latest data and up-to-the-minute results of the previous day's activities. Goal of the loan here in Victoria is \$4,200,000. There are 60 workers, and this means working long hours co-ordinating industrial speakers, planning Victory Loan rallies, for many; but they know it is only a small part of what the fighting forces—the army, the air force and the navy—are doing all year round in their fight for the right of peace.

Help the Victory Loan worker, Victoria—be ready to welcome him with a smile when he comes to your door; give him the good news—and give him all you've got!

Canada needs the money you can lend. Give that men may "ve—and Speed the Victory!

### Dairymen Call For Full Subsidy

Directors of the South Vancouver Island Dairymen's Association have passed a resolution calling for the payment of the full subsidy of 55 cents per 100 pounds to all producers on this island, and that there be a uniform price in line with the Victoria market area. It was announced today by secretary C. H. Williams.

It was also recommended that "in filling out the new forms, price adjustments should be applied for which will bring the retail price of fluid milk on Vancouver Island in line with the prices in Victoria city, namely, 11 cents per quart for 3.5 per cent and 13 cents per quart for 4.5 per cent milk."

### Institution Libraries Being Investigated

Library service in all provincial institutions is now being thoroughly investigated by the Public Library Commission, it was reported at a recent meeting of the commission, attended by provincial librarian C. K. Morison.

The commission was told of the progress of library improvements at Oakalla. Library betterments are also being made in other provincial institutions.

Commissioners expressed appreciation of the fine work done by John Ridington, librarian emeritus of University of B.C.

"Future generations in B.C. and Canada will have reason to

thank Mr. Ridington for the realism with which he approached library programs and problems in this and other library investigations," Mr. Morison said.

The provincial librarian, superintendent of the commission, gave a report of his recent visit to northern parts of the province, served by the commission's depot at Prince George.

He said he came away from the north with a strong impression of the very great importance of providing the best possible school library service as an indispensable means of developing good reading tastes that will carry through life and that may provide the best means of combating limited cultural outlooks, now common among adults.

The commission agreed that northern B.C. will more and more

need regional library service of the highest order.

### Man Wins Cake Prizes

COLUMBIA, S.C. (AP)—Langdon C. Merchant, head proof-reader for the State, morning newspaper here, had a collection of ribbons and cash prizes today as proof that the baking competition at the state fair is not exclusively woman's.

It was three years ago that Merchant decided he would try his hand in this hitherto all-woman contest. Cakes he baked took two blue ribbons. Last year he won three blue ribbons.

Merchant-baked cakes in this week's event were awarded three blue ribbons and a red ribbon, a best-cake-of-the-show award. Merchant was the only male contestant.

### S. Africa Honored By Canadian Club

Deep appreciation was expressed by Bernard O. Schonegevel, former leader of the Smuts party in the South African House of Commons, to the Women's Canadian Club for the honor done his country when they played the South Africa national anthem at their meeting in St. Andrew's Church Tuesday afternoon.

"I have spoken over 400 times during the past two years, and it is the first time that my country has been so honored," he said.

He spoke on "South Africa's Part in the British Empire," delivering the same speech he had

given earlier to the men's Canadian Club and Kiwanis Club.

Mrs. F. G. Aldous, who presided, announced the next meeting would be held next Monday in the Empress Hotel. The speaker will be Dr. Guy Talbot, noted organizer of peace movements, whose address will be in "Problems of the Pacific."

A bridge tea in aid of the bursary fund was also announced for Tuesday, Nov. 23, in the hall over the Oak Bay Theatre.

The great ornamental gates at the entrance to the grounds of the Northern Ireland Parliament Buildings in Belfast are to be converted into munitions.

Oaklands—Sewing group will meet at the home of Mrs. G. O. Hughes, 2954 Cedar Hill Road, Thursday.

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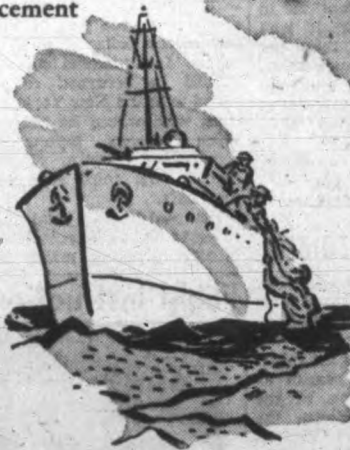
He blasted a German machine gun emplacement out of the path of advancing Canadians.

Wounded 18 times, he was under murderous fire for 8 hours.

Three landing barges were shelled and sunk under him.

Three times he floundered in the oily, bloody, cold channel.

He was finally rescued by a motor torpedo boat.



Invalided to Canada, he helped the Third Victory Loan by touring war plants in Ontario and Quebec.

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You might think Harry had done enough for his country.

You might. Harry doesn't. He's not the kind of a man to rest on his laurels. He'd like best to go back

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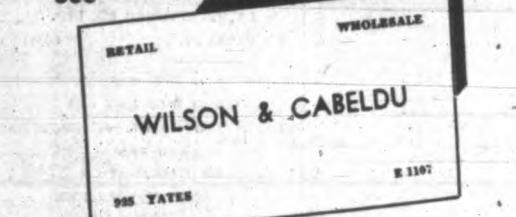
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## Don't Dimout Victory Loan Men

National War Finance Committee today urged householders to remember the dimout is off and to leave on a porch light for the Victory Loan salemen.

It is the sworn duty of these canvassers to reach every home in the Victoria and suburban area, the committee said. As most of the home calls will be made at night, a welcome light over the door will not only help the canvassers to find their way up the steps, but will allow them to see the number of the house they are calling on.

## Municipalities Asked For Representatives

Municipal councils of Victoria, Oak Bay, Esquimalt and Saanich have been requested to appoint representatives to the inter-municipal study group of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, which is under the chairmanship of Reg. Hayward.

First meeting will be taken up with a general discussion of problems common to the four municipalities. First meeting date will be decided, the chairman said, after the municipal councils have decided on their representatives.

## Store Thieves Get \$109 Cash, Clothing

Breaking through a trapdoor on the roof and an inner door, thieves early today broke into O. H. Dorman's clothing store, 1328 Douglas, rifled the till and escaped with \$109 in cash and a quantity of clothes.

Sgt. John Howe and Constables

## PLUMBING and HEATING SUPPLIES

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Samuel McKenzie, Ted Simmons and Denis Calvert attended. The amount of clothing taken could not be definitely ascertained today, although store officials said it probably included overcoats, suits and leather jackets.

## Outer Ward Groups To Press Secession

"The statement by Reeve Warren of his opposition to the secession of the rural areas of Saanich has aroused the secessionists to a full realization that they will have to fight vigorously to free themselves from the injustice to which they have been subjected in Saanich over a period of many years," Sydney Pickles, president Ward Six, Saanich Ratepayers' Association, said today. "Recognizing this injustice the provincial government has passed a special Saanich Release Act to make secession possible for the rural areas."

Numerous telephone calls have been made expressing indignation over the effort by Reeve Warren to frustrate the endeavor of the rural areas to obtain justice through secession, Pickles said. When the question of secession was voted on at a recent Saanich council meeting, Councillors George Austin, Harry Hagan and John Oliver, representing rural areas, voted in favor of secession, he said.

Another councillor, representing the same rural area, had attended the secession meeting and had given his assurance of sympathy with the application of the secessionists for the endorsement by Saanich council.

## Chocolate Goes To War Prisoners

Three and one-half tons of chocolate have been sent to camps where there are Canadian prisoners of war, with instructions to distribute it to all Canadian prisoners, it was announced today by Violet A. Thibe, secretary-treasurer, Victoria headquarters, Canadian Prisoners-of-War Relatives' Association, 1013 Government Street, who has just received word from Montreal.

"Besides this, we are sending parcels of games, sports equipment and also 300 cigarettes to every Canadian prisoner," she said.

"News was also received today that dried fruit may now be included in the next-of-kin parcel, provided dehydrated and dried fruit combined do not exceed one pound."

## Mrs. C. de Macedo, 92, Born in Spain, Dies

Mrs. Carolina de Macedo, 92, native of Seville, Spain, and resident of Victoria for 32 years, died today at St. Joseph's Hospital. Her late residence was at 831 Fort Street.

She was the widow of J. A. de Macedo, Leventhorpe Hall, Leeds, Yorkshire, Eng., for 32 years in the diplomatic service of Great Britain. With him she traveled extensively, and lived in many capitals of Europe. She was an accomplished linguist and musician.

With her husband she was actively associated in many charitable enterprises, and was instrumental in establishing a free dental clinic and orthopedic appliances and better housing for the poor of the city of Leeds.

Mrs. de Macedo was a prominent member of the congregation of St. Andrew's Cathedral, where she was a valued member of the Altar Society for many years.

Of her family of 14 children, 10 are living, one a Sister of the Order of Nazareth in North Wales. There are 17 grandchildren and 7 great grandchildren.

She had six sons serving in His Majesty's forces in the 1914-18 war, and in the present war one son and six grandsons, one of whom has made the supreme sacrifice.

## J. V. Johnson Leaves To Attend Convention

J. V. Johnson, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, left for Montreal Tuesday night to attend the annual convention of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce. This is the first time the Victoria Chamber has been represented at the national convention for three years.

There will be three main subjects up for discussion at the convention, agricultural productivity, postwar reconstruction, and labor management relations. The two main speakers will be the federal minister of labor and the Hon. Ray Atherton, United States Minister to Canada.

## To Meet Civil Servants

C. P. Phelan of Ottawa, president of the Civil Service Federation of Canada, will reach Victoria Thursday to confer with federal civil servants.

He will be entertained at dinner at Terry's Thursday evening by the Victoria District Council, Civil Service Federation, and at 8 will address an open meeting of civil servants at the K. of P. Hall.

## Labor Slate Coming, Map Civic Program

Following a series of meetings of a joint elections committee set up by the Victoria District Trades and Labor Council, the Victoria Labor Council and the Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference, organized labor has decided to enter a full slate of candidates in the civic election campaign, a statement issued by the election committee today disclosed.

The following platform was unanimously adopted as the policy of labor candidates.

(1) That strict measures be immediately enforced to abolish use of all gambling devices now in operation in the city and open to juvenile patronage.

(2) That City Council have necessary laws enacted immediately to compel padlocking of any premises proved to be continual houses of ill-fame and that owners and agents of same be made subject to heavy penalties, including terms of imprisonment.

(3) That the general curfew law be rigidly enforced to regulate activities of juveniles on the city streets in the late evening and early morning hours.

(4) That Police Commission be reorganized and elected by the people.

(5) That the franchise be extended to all householders and plural voting be abolished.

(6) That labor candidates support the School Board in every effort to improve methods of education and that necessary steps be taken to enable the board to sell text books to pupils at cost price.

## WANT INCINERATOR

John Fairfax Smyth of Qualicum Beach, member of the Veterans' Guard of Canada, received his commission as a second lieutenant at a recent graduation ceremony at Brockville, Ont. Resident of Qualicum since 1914, he went overseas with the 88th Battalion, C.E.F., in the last world war. His wife and two children make their home at Qualicum Beach.

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## TOWN TOPICS

Traffic cases in city court today resulted in eight motorists paying a total of \$35 in fines.

In the absence of Reeve W. L. Woodhouse, who is in Vancouver attending a meeting on postwar rehabilitation, Councillor R. Angus is acting reeve of Oak Bay municipality.

The Mayor and City Council today were invited to attend the W.C.T.U. pound party at the Ida Street home Friday from 3 to 5. The invitation was tendered by Ald. J. A. Worthington.

"Storyland Calling," the children's story hour, sponsored by the Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council, will be presented over CJVI Thursday at 4.30. An Indian program will be given.

A request for a donation towards financing the Victoria Minor Hockey Association, planned for the first time in Victoria this year, was received by Ald. W. L. Morgan, finance committee chairman, today, from Doug Fletcher, president of the association.

A car which J. Scouler reported stolen last Sunday has been found at Duncan, city police learned today. W. T. Sheppard, 707 Blanshard, reported theft Tuesday of a bicycle, and Bill Crabbs of John McDonald's service station, 2706 Government, reported theft of an air hose.

Charles H. Millard, national director of the United Steel Workers of America, C.I.O., and recently elected member of the Ontario legislature, will speak at a meeting under the auspices of the Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council in the Trades and Labor Hall this evening at 7.30. Colin Cameron, M.L.A., will also speak.

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## Island Up \$200,000 In Bond Sales Today

Close to the high B.C. average of 8 per cent of the objective in the Fifth Victory Loan, Victoria at noon today has subscribed 7.5 per cent of her objective of \$4,200,000. Returns from National War Finance headquarters total \$300,150.

Vancouver Island latest reports indicate gathering momentum as \$76,450 is chalked up to their credit. The island quota is \$9,250,000.

All officials signify satisfaction with current returns, the payroll plan branch announcing two more Victoria firms who have reached their objective, and are striving now for the honor pennant which is awarded for contribution of 15 per cent of total gross payroll. They are Manning Lumber Co. and Island Tug and Barge Co. Ltd.

Other firms, such as the North-western Creamery, who have arrived at 75 per cent of their designated goal, are accelerating sales daily. Victoria Machinery Depot, with 1,400 applications, has subscribed \$145,000.

Totals to noon today are as follows: Victoria, \$300,150 (\$4,200,000); Saanich, \$40,900 (\$950,000); Oak Bay, \$65,450 (\$950,000); Esquimalt, \$18,350 (\$25,000); Cowichan, \$32,100 (\$730,000); Courtenay, \$37,250 (\$450,000); Nanaimo, \$46,400 (\$725,000); and Alberni, \$35,850 (\$620,000).

## Hospital Insurance Scheme Starts Here

In approximately two months, residents of Victoria will be able to take advantage of the new hospitalization insurance scheme, that already embraces eight hospitals on the lower mainland, it was stated this morning by hospital officials.

Jubilee and St. Joseph's Hospitals will enter the scheme, which aims to give entire families protection from hospitalization expense for \$1.50 per month, and single persons for 60 cents per month.

The insured person or family will be able to have 30 days' hospitalization during the year for himself or family. At the start of the plan, it was explained, only organizations or groups of 10 or more employees will be allowed to participate in the scheme. After it gets working, it is anticipated that smaller groups organized for hospitalization purposes, such as neighborhood groups, will be permitted into the scheme.

## Moscow Conferees Reported Satisfied

MOSCOW (AP)—Apparently satisfied with the results of their first formal talk Tuesday night, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, U.S. State Secretary Cordell Hull and Soviet Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov settled down today to a program of daily conferences on wartime and post-war matters.

Their initial meeting lasted for two hours and 15 minutes, and while no details were announced, it was understood the session was satisfactory.

The conferees disclosed they will meet once a day until their discussions are concluded. No formal announcement concerning the progress of the talks will be issued.

Before Tuesday night's session, which started at 6 p.m., a spokesman said it would give the three diplomats a chance to share "frankly and freely what's on one another's mind." Eden and Hull conversed at the official residence of the U.S. ambassador before the meeting.

The foundation for future vital discussions among United Nations leaders will be largely laid at this conference, which is not expected to hit any lasting snags.

Prime Minister Churchill has expressed hope for a Churchill-Roosevelt-Stalin meeting this year.

No military men attended the first meeting.

## Shooting Charges

VANCOUVER (CP)—Brought from a Manitoba military camp, Jack Raymond Barber, 20, of Vancouver, appeared before Magistrate H. S. Wood today on charges of shooting with intent to kill and possession of explosives. He was remanded to Friday.

On the explosives charge he is charged jointly with Edward E. Stone, 18, and Edwin Browning, 18, as result of a shooting episode Oct. 1, when Constables H. A. Lowe and R. E. Tyldale were fired on when questioning three suspects.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Burdard Drydock Company today reached its Fifth Victory Loan quota of \$1,100,000. James Mackee, Victory Loan organizer for suburban divisions, said this is the largest sum ever raised in a Victory Loan campaign by employees in a single industry west of the Great Lakes.

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## Moose Lodes Have Large War Effort

Oct. 27 is Mooseheart Day and the 30th anniversary of the founding of Mooseheart, the child city founded by Senator James J. Davis, representative for Philadelphia in the U.S. Senate. It is considered the greatest philanthropic or fraternal effort of its kind in the world. Moose lodges care for children and mothers of departed members.

Canadian Moose lodges play their part. Victoria Lodge No. 1390, Loyal Order of Moose, assisted by the sister lodge, Victoria Chapter No. 25, Women of the Moose, raised \$2,000 for the Lord Mayor's Fund for bombed-out victims in Britain.

Later the War Activities Committee was formed embracing all lodges and chapters in Canada. On Aug. 1, 1943, through this committee, Moose of Canada, assisted by the Supreme Lodge of the World, presented to the Canadian Legion \$2,500, for the purchase of a mobile canteen to be presented to a Canadian unit overseas.

When Great Britain suffered from the severe bombing, the lodges of Canada, assisted by the Supreme Lodge, sent to Moose headquarters in England \$10,000 for rehabilitation of the sufferers, which sum has been followed by gifts of clothing and other goods to the value of \$30,000. All kinds of used clothing has also been collected and sent over. At one time a request came for 5,000 pairs of children's shoes. All lodges were circled, and these shoes were purchased in eastern Canada and forwarded in record time.

Women of the Moose in Victoria are celebrating Mooseheart Day, Oct. 28, at the Foresters' Hall, Cornermarket Street, with a bazaar in the afternoon and dance in the evening at 9. The local lodge has a small membership, but has a beneficiary fund the biggest per capita of any lodge in Canada. A drive for new members will be made shortly.

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other nice Furniture, particulars of  
which will appear later and be on  
view Thursday.

**Notice to Creditors  
and Others**  
Creditors of Leading Alpacafarm  
Maurice Jean Light, No. 145888,  
lately of No. 22 O.T.T., Royal Air Force,  
at Patricia Bay, British Columbia, formerly  
of Patricia Bay, who died on the 15th day  
of October, 1943, are requested to  
send particulars of their claims to the  
undersigned on or before the 15th day  
of November, 1943, after which date his  
estate in Canada will be distributed among  
the parties entitled thereto without re-  
gard to any claims not then received.  
Dated at Patricia Bay this 15th day  
of October, 1943.  
P. L. A. V. SMITH.  
On behalf of the Committee of Adjust-  
ment, No. 22 O.T.T., R.A.F., Patricia Bay,  
British Columbia.

**Land Registry Act**  
SECTION 101  
IN THE MATTER OF—An individual  
half interest in Section 14, Metcoun  
District, except 2.58 acres conveyed to  
the Canadian Northern Pacific Rail-  
way Company; and  
2. An undivided half interest in Section  
14, Metcoun District, except 2.58  
acres conveyed to the Canadian Nor-  
thern Pacific Railway Company.  
FRODOF having filed in my office  
the loss of Certificate of Title No.  
5514-F and 1940-F to the above men-  
tioned lands, respectively, in the name of  
Theodora Sweetman and William Osborn  
Sweetman, respectively, and bearing dates  
the 15th day of January, 1913, and the  
15th day of October, 1916, respectively,  
I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE of my intention,  
at the expiration of one calendar month  
from the first publication hereof, to issue  
to the said Jean Theodora Sweetman and  
William Osborn Sweetman, Duplicate Cer-  
tificates of Absolute Title in lieu of such  
lost Certificates.  
ANY PERSON having any information  
with reference to such lost Certificates  
of Title is requested to communicate with  
the undersigned.  
DATED this 14th day of September, 1943,  
at the Land Registry Office, Victoria,  
British Columbia.  
R. C. HEMMEROW,  
Deputy Registrar, Victoria Land Regis-  
tration District.

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If you are troubled with itching piles or  
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## Killed in Same Week in Sicily



Maj. J. H. W. (Billy) Pope, of Victoria, and Lt.-Col. Ralph Crowe, of Guelph, Ont., of the Royal Canadian Regiment, were killed within the same week during the intensive fighting in Central Sicily. Above, left to right, Maj. Pope and Col. Crowe are shown studying a map of operations in the fighting zone. Maj. Pope, second in command of the Royal Canadian Regiment, was killed July 18, during a flanking movement which trapped a batch of Germans near Valguarnera. Col. Crowe, commanding officer, fell July 25. Maj. Pope was a former newspaperman who before joining the permanent militia in 1934 was a reporter on the Ottawa Journal. In May, 1934, he was appointed second in command of the Royal Canadian Regiment, Canada's senior permanent force regiment. His father, Lt.-Col. E. W. Pope, who resides at 1911 Woodley Road, served in the Royal Canadian Regiment in the 1914-18 war.

## Canada's Honor Roll

OTTAWA (CP)—The 710th R.C.A.F. casualty list of the war, issued Tuesday night, contained 40 names.  
The list follows:

**MISSING**  
WO. Wilfred David Brown, Vir-  
den, Man.; FO. John Milton  
Downs, Homewood, Man.; FO.  
Percy Hallows-Wray Johnston,  
Shoal Lake, Man.; Sgt. Daniel  
Ross, New York.

**PRISONERS OF WAR**  
PO. James Elmer Abbotts,  
Owen Sound, Ont.; FO. John  
Macready, Detroit, Mich.; Sgt.  
William Wallace Massie, Edmon-  
ton; Sgt. Beverley Wayne Scharf,  
Sarnia, Ont.

**REPORTED SAFE**  
Sgt. Arthur Tremaine Bowly,  
Wilton, N.S.; Sgt. David Basil  
McMillan, Hamilton; Sgt. Joseph  
Germain Fabien Sansoucy, Alex-  
andre, Que.; PO. Philip Whittall,  
Peterborough, Ont.

**PRESUMED DEAD**  
Flt. Lt. Mohamed Slyman  
Awad, Truro, N.S.; Sgt. Donald  
Lynn Beatty, Souris, Man.; Sgt.  
Robert Francis Beckett, Valois,  
Que.; Sgt. Alfred James Down,  
Chatham, Ont.; PO. Claude Wil-  
lain Gebhard, Liberty, Sask.; FO.

**KILLED IN ACCIDENT**  
Law. Edith Mary Brownlee,  
Bridgeview, Alta.  
**DIED NATURAL CAUSES**  
Cpl. George Kenneth Greyst,  
York, Yorkshire, Eng.; AC2. An-  
gus Robinson Woodward, Thames-  
ville, Ont.  
**SERIOUSLY INJURED**  
WO2. Vernon Crawford North,  
Fort William.

**Canada Sailors  
Rescue U.S. Men,  
Drifting On Rafts**  
OTTAWA (CP)—Ten U.S.  
Army fliers were rescued by the  
Canadian minesweeper Georgian  
after they had drifted on two  
rubber rafts for 18 hours in the  
iceberg-dotted north Atlantic,  
naval service headquarters an-  
nounced today.

When the rescue was carried  
out was not stated. The airman's  
Flying Fortress had to be crash-  
landed after it had developed en-  
gine trouble. It broke in two as  
it hit the water and sank in a few  
seconds.

"The crew of the H.M.C.S.  
Georgian are highly commended  
for the efficient manner in which  
they carried out the rescue of 10  
U.S. Army fliers," said the U.S.  
government in a letter.  
Lieut. Allan Boucher, R.C.N.  
V.R. of Regina, the Georgian's  
commanding officer, said there  
was "actually very little to it,"  
except for the danger of proceed-  
ing through treacherous waters  
and fog.

"We were on convoy escort  
duty at the time," he said.  
"Shortly before five in the morn-  
ing I was called to the bridge  
when flares were reported off our  
port bow."  
"As we made our way toward  
the flare we just missed a huge  
iceberg. For a moment we thought  
it was a sub."

There were several other close  
calls with icebergs, and when lo-  
cated, the airman's rafts were  
crowded between two huge bergs.  
"There wasn't sufficient room  
for us to manoeuvre between  
them so the trick was to get into  
position so they would drift down  
on us," said Lieut. Alex Grant,  
R.C.N.V.R., of Montreal, who  
took charge of the rescue party  
on the quarterdeck. "I ordered

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IT'S GAY DOWN SOUTH IN  
Thrilling in Technicolor!  
**Dixie**  
12 GREAT  
SONG HITS  
Crosby and  
Lamoure  
A Paramount  
Picture with  
REYNOLDS and WOLFE  
OVERMAN - WALBURN - FOY, JR.  
PLUS  
IT'S AN OUT-AND-OUT RIOT!  
STUART ERWIN & EVELYN VENABLE  
IN  
"WE HIRED THE BOSS"  
**ATLAS**

**Crosby in Dixie  
Starring at Atlas**  
After all these years, the origin  
of the term "ham actor" is  
shown pictorially in Paramount's  
"Dixie," the technicolor musical  
depicting the life and times of  
Daniel Decatur Emmett, origina-  
tor of the minstrel show. The  
picture is due tomorrow at the  
Atlas Theatre.  
As Emmett, Crosby is seen  
backstage in a New Orleans thea-  
tre, in a gaudy dressing room. To  
remove the burnt cork from their  
faces after a minstrel perform-  
ance, he and his fellow enter-  
tainers cut strips of rind from a  
ham and wipe the hamfat onto  
the make-up, which then can be  
removed with ease.  
The girls involved in "Dixie"  
are Dorothy Lamour and Mar-  
jorie Reynolds. Incidentally,  
there are a dozen grand new  
and old tunes in the film.

**RIO THEATRE**  
It must be the gay, melodious  
atmosphere. At any rate, Car-  
men Miranda, presumably after  
a considerable search, finds some  
of the qualities of Casanova in  
"Springtime in the Rockies." The  
Technicolor 20th Century-Fox  
musical now at the Rio Theatre,  
starring Betty Grable, John  
Payne, Harry James and His  
Music Makers and Cesar Romero.  
Charlotte Greenwood tops the  
featured cast.

**DOMINION THEATRE**  
Fred Astaire as a Flying Tiger  
pilot in mufti with six days'  
leave in New York; Joan Leslie as  
a roving photographer for a pic-  
ture magazine, and who thinks  
all civilians should be doing  
something useful, provide the  
basis for the screen's newest  
tunefilm, "The Sky's the Limit,"  
now being shown at the Domi-  
nion Theatre, who co-stars the  
two favorites for the first time.  
With Robert Benchley heading  
the featured cast, the frolic-lad  
picture is said to be Astaire's  
most entertaining vehicle to date.

**OAK BAY-PLAZA THEATRES**  
George Jessel does his famous  
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"Mama" in Sol Lesser's new pic-  
ture, "Stage Door Canteen,"  
which has all the greats of Holly-  
wood and Broadway in the star-  
studded cast. Among the out-  
standing stars in "Stage Door  
Canteen," at the Oak Bay and  
Plaza Theatres now through  
United Artists' release, are Kath-  
arine Hepburn, Katharine Cor-  
nell, Helen Hayes, George Raft,  
Harpo Marx, Gypsy Rose Lee,  
Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne,  
Ethel Merman, Paul Muni, Merle  
Oberon, Martha Scott, Lanny  
Ross, Ethel Waters, Johnny  
Weissmuller, Hugh Herbert,  
Gracie Fields plus the six name  
bands headed by Benny Good-  
man, Kay Kyser, Guy Lombardo,  
Count Basie, Xavier Cugat and  
Freddie Martin.

**CADET THEATRE**  
Robert Young has kissed prac-  
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Turner in "Slightly Dangerous,"  
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"QUIET  
PLEASE,  
MURDER"  
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GEORGE  
SANDERS  
GAIL  
PATRICK  
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RAFT LANNY ROSS TALULAH  
BANKHEAD GERTRUDE LAWRENCE  
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MERMAN YEHUDI MENCHUIN  
**48  
STARS**  
6 NAME  
BANDS  
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★ COUNT BASIE ★ BENNY GOODMAN  
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4.30, 8.45

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## B.C.-Yukon Forces Lead Victory Loan

Armed forces of British Columbia and the Yukon lead the service division in Canada's Fifth Victory Loan by contributing 21.27 per cent of their \$1,900,000 quota until late last night. Vancouver is in second place with 8.67 per cent of its \$20,300,000 quota attained.

Stations and headquarters in No. 4 Air Training Command today sought establishment of a new over-subscription record and unit sales committees were steadily increasing their figures.

Official figures Tuesday showed

the airmen had gone over their original quota of \$1,000,000 with sales of \$1,134,700, and the race between commands was stimulated with announcements from Ottawa that S. L. De Carteret, Deputy Minister for Air, had contributed a competitive shield to be known as the Deputy Minister's Shield.

The shield will be held between loan campaigns by the winning command and will be awarded on a per capita purchase basis. No. 4 Initial Training School at Edmonton held the lead for the best over-quota figure with \$93,150. Their original quota was \$30,000.

Flying Training School was leading the field in civilian-operated flying schools with subscriptions of over \$56,000.

## Russian Secrecy Lauded By Speaker

"Please be loyal to your partner," was the special plea put forward by Bernard O. Schonegevel, former leader of the Smuts party in the South African House of Commons, speaking to a joint luncheon meeting of the Kiwanis and Canadian Clubs in the Empress Hotel Tuesday noon.

He was speaking of the "all too prevalent" loose talk that "I hear both in your country and in the United States," querying whether or not Russia can be trusted. "The secrecy of Russia was the secret weapon that gave us victory," he contended.

He continued by saying strongly that he would advocate "putting behind bars all these people who help Hitler" by this kind of talk. Mr. Schonegevel declared that the conference going on in Russia today is one of the most vital of the war, and dubbed it the "HEM" conference—H for Hull, E for Eden and M for Molotov. "They are 'hemming' to put the final 'them' on the holes in the bag that will smother Hitler," he said to the laughter of the club members.

In his speech which was entitled "South Africa's Part in the British Empire," Mr. Schonegevel compared the Dominion of Canada with his home Dominion, pointing out the similarities in that both had two languages. "The difference is that we speak both our languages, and you don't," he said.

He paid high tribute to Canada's work in the Commonwealth Air Training Scheme, and to the work of Canadian soldiers in guarding "the heart of Empire" for so many years. He told of the war effort in South Africa, where more than 10 per cent of the European population is under arms—and where all under arms have volunteered. "We have no conscription," he said. In passing, he outlined briefly the history of his Dominion, from the days of the Boer War, when Smuts led the fight against the British, to the days of this war, when Smuts led his country into war with the British Empire.

Murray Martindale, president of the Kiwanis Club, and Rev. George Biddle, president of the Canadian Club, were joint chairmen at the meeting.

Later in the afternoon Mr. Schonegevel repeated his speech before the Women's Canadian Club in St. Andrew's Church.

Shirley—A 500 card party was held in Shirley Hall, prizes being won by Mesdames E. Benner, M. A. Clark, J. S. Waugh, H. F. Anderson, E. Robinson, T. E. Cross, and Messrs. T. E. Cross, P. Pedneault, T. Perron, and W. J. Milligan. Thirteen dollars was realized from a tombola, and \$5.50 from the card party.

Shorthand of various types has been used for 20 centuries.

## Uncle Ray

### United States Leads World in Cotton Crop

Right now the cotton picking season is drawing toward a close on this continent. Picking starts in summer, often in July. In most places it is finished by the end of October or early in November.

Sixteen years ago I saw, for the first time, a field of cotton. It was in South Carolina, and the plants were about three feet high. Cotton plants differ widely in size. Some kinds grow no more than two feet high, but others reach heights of from 6 to 15 feet.

Much "sea-island cotton" comes from very tall plants. This cotton has fine, long silky fibres. Centuries ago it was found growing wild on islands in warm parts of the oceans. Since then the seeds have been planted in many places, and millions of bales of the cotton have been sold.



BRANCH OF A COTTON PLANT

So this day a large proportion of our sea-island cotton comes from islands, but the seeds have been planted on the mainland as well. On some parts of the mainland, it has grown fairly well. Georgia, Florida and South Carolina were pioneer states in testing this kind of cotton.

During the past century upland cotton has been of even greater importance in the world's markets than sea-island. Its fibres, on the average, are less than two-thirds as long, but it grows better in the United States.

Plant breeders have worked on cotton, and progress has been made in producing upland cotton with long fibres.

Egyptian cotton grows in many places where sea-island would fail. It has a longer fibre, or "staple" than upland cotton, and large crops of it are gathered in the United States each year.

The United States is the leading cotton country. In fact, it grows more than all other nations combined. Last year's American crop was close to 13,000,000 bales.

India, Egypt and China are other important cotton countries. In South America good-sized crops are produced in Brazil and Peru.

(For general interest section of your scrapbook.)

### Dead Correspondents To Be Honored

WASHINGTON (AP)—Twelve Liberty ships now under construction will be named for 12 United States war correspondents killed since the war began, the maritime commission announces. The correspondents were: Edward H. Crockett, Associated Press; Robert P. Post and Byron Danton, the New York Times; Ralph Barnes, the New York Herald Tribune; Jack Singer, International News Service; Melville Jacoby, Time-Life; Frank Joseph Cuhel, Mutual Broadcasting System; Ben Robertson, New York Herald Tribune; Webb Miller and Harry Percy, United Press; Carl Thugard, Acme News Pictures; Ben H. Miller, the Evening Sun of Baltimore.

The peninsula of Aden was first occupied by the British in 1839.



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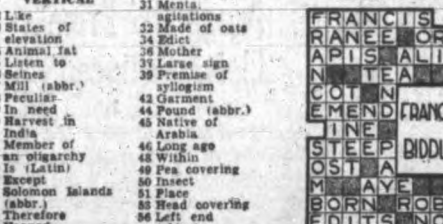
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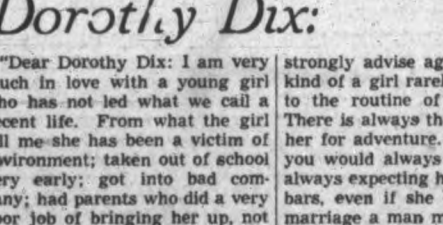


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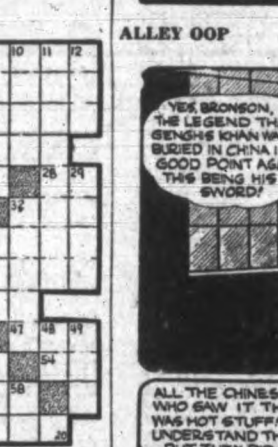
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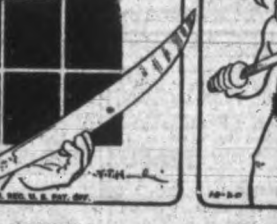
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### Boys' Work Leader To Visit Victoria

Rev. Wilbur K. Howard of Toronto, secretary of the National Boys' Work Board, will address a meeting of workers Friday evening at 8 at First United Church. The meeting is open to the public, leaders of boys, Sunday school

superintendents, teachers and young people. Mr. Howard is on a tour that will carry him to the major cities of this province and other points in western Canada. He is charged with the responsibility of promoting boys' work among the different denominations. His visit to Victoria is sponsored by the interdenominational Board for Boys' Work.



**WILL TELL SAANICH'S PROGRESS**—Committee and sales staff of Saanich Victory Loan unit are busy on attaining their quota of \$850,000. To mark the progress of subscriptions a large Victory clock has been erected at the Royal Oak crossroads. Organizing sales are: Maj. George Yardley, unit director; R. Cran, assistant organizer; Bernard Parkin and Miss K. Callum.

### Perry Advises Municipalities To Plan for Peace

Greater Victoria was urged Tuesday by Hon. H. G. T. Perry, Minister of Education, and chairman of B.C.'s Postwar Rehabilitation Council, to make an immediate start on a plan for postwar public works.

The minister addressed elected representatives and top officials of Victoria City, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich at a meeting in City Hall.

He particularly advised that any public works for the four municipalities be presented in a combined plan.

"I can't tell you, at the present time, how these things are going to be paid for—but your projects should be listed and tabulated; it is necessary for municipalities to prepare their skeleton plans and simply evade the financial

aspect of the time being," Mr. Perry said. "You'll be delayed, when peace comes, unless you have your plans in shape, so that they may form part of a great catalogue of public works for Canada."

#### UP TO OTTAWA

Financing of postwar works will be largely the responsibility of Ottawa, he said, for it will be up to the Dominion government to see that discharged people are provided with a means of livelihood. He said there will have to be some financial basis on which the whole matter can be discussed. This is recommended in the B.C. Council's report, he said, "and they have read it down in Ottawa, even if they haven't in Victoria."

The minister said he was not suggesting that a vast program of public works would solve the economic problems of Canada after the war, but that they would take up the slack in certain periods.

After the war, Mr. Perry said, great demobilization will go on along the Pacific coast of Canada, not only of Canadian, but of British troops, as well. Many of the latter, he felt, will want to remain here. Plans should be made now to take care of these people.

One of the great needs of the future will be for adequate low-rental housing, he said. Regional planning is essential in any such scheme. Town planning, also, he said, should be commenced now, so that building could start when the war ends. In house building, he said, 80 cents in every dollar goes for labor.

The Dominion government, he said, would be well advised to pass now a Postwar Measures Act, similar to its War Measures Act, so that it could adequately deal with the problem of demobilization.

Alderman J. A. Worthington asked the minister if he would recommend that an engineer be supplied to Victoria to assist in its plan. The minister replied he thought such preliminary plans should be financed by the municipalities.

City solicitor F. L. Shaw wanted to know if a plan, such as one for a civic arena, would carry more weight if it came from the four municipalities, instead of from just Victoria. The minister replied in the affirmative, indicating this as a perfect example of regional planning, which is always to be preferred, he said.

Reeve E. C. Warren of Saanich pointed out difficulties, should people from a municipality, where no plans had been made, move to a district benefiting from well arranged plans. Mr. Perry said there was nothing much that could be done about this, that it is a free country and people must be allowed to move from one part of the land to another. However, he thought people moving into a district would not get preference for employment.

Mayor McGavin occupied the chair. Mr. Perry was introduced by Reeve Alex Lockley of Esquimalt, and thanked by Reeve W. L. Woodhouse of Oak Bay and Reeve E. C. Warren of Saanich.

Never before, city officials pointed out, had such a representative group from the four municipalities gathered together in the City Hall.

#### Given to U.B.C.

VANCOUVER (CP)—Moses Brunes Cotsworth, noted advocate of calendar reform who died last June, left his cases of books, documents, records and curios concerning evolution of the calendar to the U.B.C.

Cotsworth was known throughout Canada for his efforts to have the calendar revised. The "Cotsworth Calendar," as it was called, proposed to divide the year into 13 months of 28 days each, the odd day being June 29, a holiday to be known as "year day."

He claimed value of the revision would be that each day in every month and every year would fall on the same date.

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### Bomber Crashes 60 Miles Off B.C.; Crew of 5 Saved

OTTAWA (CP)—Fast teamwork in a falling aircraft saved the lives of five R.A.F. members of an Anson bomber crew when their plane "hit the deck" in the Pacific, 60 miles off the coast of British Columbia, the R.C.A.F. reported today in a press release.

Well out at sea, the Anson's starboard engine kicked and conked out. The pilot, Sgt. A. G. Jagger, swung the ship around and headed for home on one engine. Losing altitude rapidly, he realized he was forced to "ditch the ship" as they sifted down to 300 feet. He picked out the crest of an oncoming wave for his forced landing.

At this point, every member of the crew had to work fast, with no time allowed for mistakes.

The student navigator, Sgt. William Walton, gave the pilot a quick wind direction, shot the emergency landing order along to the wireless air gunners, Sgt. C. R. Nelson and Sgt. N. O. Weekes, who swiftly got the emergency dinghy ready for launching and inflation. Flt. Sgt. J. H. Straughan, instructor, jumped to the wireless key and was tapping out an SOS signal as the big ship hit the sea.

#### NO ONE INJURED

The dinghy launched and inflated, the crew members scrambled out and the pilot made a quick check to see no one was injured, that everything of use in an open sea had been brought along. Noting the Aldis lamp and signalling cartridges were missing, the pilot and instructor climbed back to get the equipment.

Toising in their small dinghy on the vast expanse of the Pacific Ocean, the five airmen scanned the horizon, hoping their SOS signals had not gone unheard. Their luck held. An Anson from their own base sighted

a red Very light fired by the pilot, and passed the word along to the air-sea rescue service. A motor launch sped to the scene. Three hours from the time the

aircraft pointed its nose at the sea, five wet but happy airmen were helped aboard the rescue launch.

Apart from some exposure and an odd minor bruise, the only injury was a one-inch cut on the pilot's forehead, caused by his head striking the windshield on landing.

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### Probe Airman's Death After Cafe Fracas

NORTH BATTLEFORD, Sask. (CP)—The inquest into the death of Cpl. George Alexander, R.C.A.F., of Turtleford, Sask., fatally injured during a fracas in a cafe here, will be resumed tomorrow forenoon.

Adjournment was taken Tuesday night after several witnesses had testified, telling of a fight Alexander had with an unidentified airman.

Gilbert Hick, a farmer of the Livingstone district, told the coroner's jury a pane of glass was broken in the cafe and Alexander had cried out: "Someone has stabbed me."

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## Electric Shares Up

MONTREAL (CP)—Leading Quebec Electric issues were a trifle stronger and other sections irregular in transfers today on the Stock Exchange and Curb Market.

Canadian Car, Gypsum and Westinghouse made headway in industrials.

Hollinger did better in golds and Lamaque and Perron posted decreases. Sullivan retrieved a loss.

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